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Native porterhouse steak, lb. .... 25c  
Native veal stew, lb. .... 16c  
Native veal shoulder, lb. .... 16c  
Native veal chops, lb. .... 22c  
Native veal steak, lb. .... 30c  
Native mutton stew, lb. .... 15c  
Native mutton shoulder, lb. .... 16c

Native mutton chops, lb. .... 20c  
Native mutton legs, lb. .... 24c  
Pork butts, lb. .... 23c  
Pork chops, lb. .... 24c  
Spare ribs, lb. .... 17c  
Fancy bacon, by strip, lb. .... 32c  
Fancy bacon, sliced, lb. .... 35c  
No. 1 regular hams, small, lb. .... 25c  
California hams, lb. .... 22c  
Fancy veal liver, lb. .... 20c  
Beef and pig liver, lb. .... 14c  
Home-made bologna, lb. .... 20c  
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Here you will always find the authentic styles in footwear for women who are interested in shoe fashions of the hour. Style changes in footwear are almost continuous. Only those who are in close touch with the various style centers throughout the United States can possibly know what is coming in and what is going out. You may be sure of finding here the most advanced styles that are in vogue and at prices that you will be glad to pay.

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## GOVERNOR WHITMAN WELCOMES JOFFRE

N. Y. Executive Greets French General on Spot Where Lafayette Helped Washington.

In Speech Points to Period in American History When France Was First Our Ally.

(By Associated Press Local Wire.)  
Newburgh, N. Y., May 11.—Gov. Charles S. Whitman welcomed Marshal Joffre, hero of the marne, and member of the French war commission, to New York state when the famous soldier today visited the headquarters here of Gen. Washington. Governor Whitman said:  
"It is singularly fitting that New York state should first bid welcome to our visitors from the French republic, at Washington's military home in Newburgh. This place, peculiarly precious to Americans, is not without French associations and memories. Here, giving aid and comfort, counsel and support, to the leader of our armies, lived for many weeks the great son of France, Lafayette, and as we recall the events of those dark days of struggle and of privation we realize that Americans and Frenchmen have been allies before."

Despotism Gone Mad.  
Against the representatives of these free peoples meet on American soil. Again, the French and Americans are found in Washington's headquarters. Again a stubborn and arrogant ruler has plunged his nation into war. Despotism has gone mad, has filled the world with terror. But the Frenchman and the Englishman and the American are not divided now. The nation whose existence was made possible by our French ally over a century ago—composed today as it is of people from all lands, speaking many languages, with natural affections, some of them, for ancestral homes over the seas—united in devotion and loyalty to the flag and all for which it stands."

Britons Seek Rest.  
Washington, May 11.—Weary and tired after three weeks of almost constant conferences with American officials over the United States' part in the world conflict, the British war mission leaves today for New York for a period of relaxation. In New York they will meet the French war mission for a joint reception there. Returning to Washington Sunday night the British mission will again

take up their conference with American officials, the most of their work here is over. The mission plans to visit the middle west and Canada soon.

The Review West Point Cadets.  
New York, May 11.—The third day of the visit of Marshal Joffre, M. Rene Viviani and other distinguished members of the French war commission saw no diminution in the warmth of the welcome extended to the visitors by the people of New York. After two days of receptions and jubiliations, Marshal Joffre escaped from the crowds this morning for a trip to Newburgh, N. Y., where, as the guest of the state, he was to visit the headquarters of Gen. Washington. From Newburgh, the marshal will go to West Point, where he will review the cadets at the military academy, returning to New York this evening for the banquet, the crowning event of the city's welcome to the members of the French and British commissions, tendered by the mayor's citizens' committee. This affair will bring together perhaps the most distinguished assembly in the history of the city.  
The British commission, headed by Arthur J. Balfour, the British foreign secretary, is expected to arrive in the city at 2:30 p. m. They will land at the battery and the same program that attended the arrival of the French commission will be followed.

## RECRUITS POURING IN TO TRAINING SCHOOLS

(By Associated Press Local Wire.)  
Chicago, May 11.—The number of approved applications for the officers' training schools in the central department in the hands of the post commanders was announced today as follows:

Fort Sheridan, 5,973.  
Fort Snelling, 5,405.  
Fort Riley, 4,907.

Fort Benjamin Harrison, 6,131.  
Recruits arriving at the rate of about 500 to 600 a day at Fort Sheridan for the opening of the camp May 15. These men are from Illinois, Wisconsin and Michigan.

## MISS FARNSWORTH IS EAST BOARD CANDIDATE

Miss Jessie E. Farnsworth, a very successful east side business woman, has been persuaded to become a candidate for membership on the east school board, at the election Saturday, May 12. The election is to fill a vacancy caused by the resignation of George Dietrich.

Miss Farnsworth comes from a family of teachers, and knows the value of practical education, either conservative or progressive. Her mother, Lydia M. Drane, taught school for a number of years, last teaching in a little school house on the site of the present Hassett store, later in a private school at the corner of Galena boulevard and Lake street.

Her father, Jas. P. Farnsworth, also taught school in Aurora in West Park place, near Lincoln park, and in the early days was one of the pioneers interested in better schools and education for the betterment of our city.

Miss Farnsworth attended the Rockford academy for many years, and at 15 years, taught night school classes for foreign-born girls and women.

What is now known as Oak Park formerly was the Farnsworth farm property. The growth and development of Oak Park is largely due to the efforts of Miss Farnsworth, and it is fair to assume that she will tender the same energy to the school board.

Her election would add the second woman to the east side board. While it may be argued that she has no children of her own to inspire her interest in school affairs, it also can be stated that some of the finest work in children's welfare has been accomplished by childless women and Miss Farnsworth certainly has the time, energy and experience which should make of her a valuable official.

Residents of East Aurora, particularly the women interested in Saturday's election, are asked to remember her candidacy and to make a point of voting on that day. (Signed) Committee.

## YOUNG FARMER KILLS FIVE, THEN SUICIDES

(By Associated Press Local Wire.)  
Elkhart, Ky., May 10.—Frank Miller, a young farmer, early today killed his father, Charles Miller; his mother, Mrs. Betty Miller; his brother, Elmore, his brother's wife, Amy, and himself, and hanged himself.

## LOOK AS YOUNG AS YOU FEEL, DON'T BE OLD AND GRAY

Men—Don't Let Gray Hair Hold You Down in Business! Women—Restore Natural Color With Safe, Guaranteed Q-Ban—Not a Dye.

It is not necessary, not even wise, for anyone to have gray hair nowadays. Restore the uniform color of your hair with the aid of Q-Ban Hair Color Restorer. Thousands have done so and are now enjoying abundant and beautiful hair. You will look so young you will be delighted. Beware of imitations, as you would of dyes. There is nothing like Q-Ban.

Q-Ban is all ready to use—is guaranteed to be harmless and is sold under the makers' money-back guarantee. If not satisfied, only 50c at Harkness Pharmacy and all good drug stores or write direct to Harkness Drug Co., Memphis, Tenn. Hair Culture, an illustrated interesting book.

Try Q-Ban Superfine Hair Tonic. Q-Ban Liquid Shampoo. Q-Ban Toilet Soap. Q-Ban Hair Cream. Q-Ban Hair Oil. Q-Ban Hair Lotion. Q-Ban Hair Conditioner. Q-Ban Hair Dressing. Q-Ban Hair Pomade. Q-Ban Hair Wax. Q-Ban Hair Gel. Q-Ban Hair Mousse. Q-Ban Hair Spray. Q-Ban Hair Cream. Q-Ban Hair Oil. Q-Ban Hair Lotion. Q-Ban Hair Conditioner. Q-Ban Hair Dressing. Q-Ban Hair Pomade. Q-Ban Hair Wax. Q-Ban Hair Gel. Q-Ban Hair Mousse. Q-Ban Hair Spray.

## CORTLAND

Cortland, Ill., May 10.—Miss Irene Selgren, who received a painful wound when one of her finger rings got caught on the street car door last week, has been obliged to go to De Kalb twice a day part of the time since the accident for surgical care. The finger was also broken and it was set on Monday. Miss Selgren who is only about 15 years old, is one of the pretty "Selgren twins."

Dan Carlton's house is undergoing repairs this week.

The school are preparing a program for Memorial day.

Mrs. Katherine Aldis has been ill for the past week, but is much better.

Frank Altman of Chicago is visiting his brother, Paul Altman, and wife.

Nathan Richards was a Sycamore caller Monday and greeted old time friends.

Mrs. Plucker of Mayfield has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Walden, and family.

John Wilton and brother of De

Kalb called on Mr. and Mrs. Virgil McElashen on Sunday.

Mrs. Cordelia Chamberlin left for Aurora Friday. She will visit with friends at Sandwich also.

Miss Helen Stark left on Monday for Rockford where she will visit Lester Decker and family.

The Advent church held a business meeting Saturday night to elect officers for the coming year.

The Misses Edna and Marie Schriber of Maple Park spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Helen Myers.

Misses Bertha and Sina Mathison of Sycamore visited their brother, Oscar Mathison, and wife on Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Simpson and two children spent Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. D. W. Dukes, at Sycamore.

John Gorman is on the sick list this week. He is greatly missed at the depot.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Von Ohlen and children motored to Leland Monday and visited his mother and other relatives.

Miss Ethel Decker left on Monday forenoon for Rock Falls, where she will spend a week at the home of the Rev. Simister.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Gandy and two daughters of De Kalb spent Sunday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lauriston.

Howard Kelsey and mother, Mrs. Ida Kelsey, motored up from Maple Park Monday and called on the latter's daughter, Mrs. Julia Colton, and family.

Quite a number from here attended the Yankee Robinson circus at De Kalb Tuesday. The circus train went thru Cortland as the school children were going to school this morning.

Mrs. R. M. Briggs of Chicago is here visiting her daughters, the Mesdames Cora Raymond and Bertha Coolidge, and their families. The former has just returned from a visit with a daughter in Michigan.

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Indigestion. One package  
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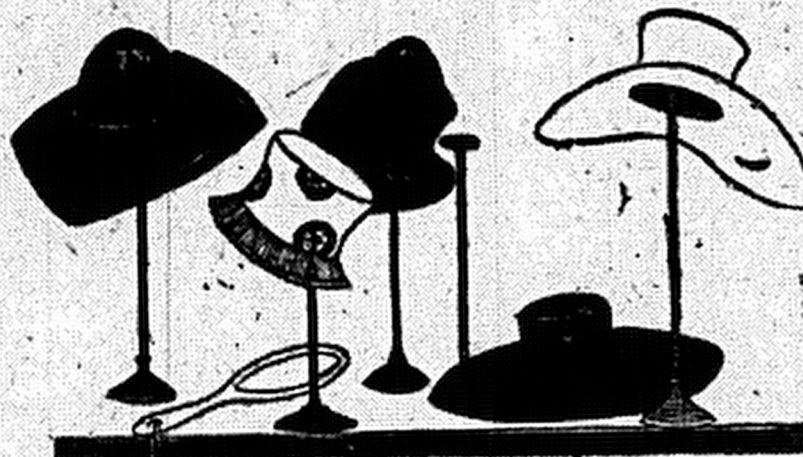
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Tomorrow we present a limited collection of models, which in line with our policy, at this time, of clearing for incoming midsummer millinery. They are for the most part informal street wear hats, the some are for afternoon occasions of a semi-formal character. On sale tomorrow for \$2.75 only

Women's Neck-  
wear in Popular  
Styles, Regular  
50c Values  
Tomorrow at 39c

A wide assortment of beautiful georgette crepe collars, plain and embroidered styles, all the newest shapes are included. This lot represents a very special purchase and in order that the benefit may be more equally distributed we will reserve the right to limit a selection of two collars to each customer. Tomorrow, each, 39c

Sale of  
Women's  
Petticoats  
Each \$1

Made of splendid quality black sateen, full flare models, and deep ruffles; also a number of novelty petticoats shown in dots and figures, all of which are splendid values, seldom, if ever, presented in a sale as low as, each, \$1.00

Japanese De-  
signed Luncheon  
Sets, Each \$1

The design is a dainty Japanese cherry design, one of the most popular styles of the season. Complete, with sufficient floss, at \$1.00

Boys' \$1 Over-  
all Suits 69c

Made of good quality chambray and repp. Collar and cuffs designed to embroider. On sale tomorrow at 69c

10c Silk Hair  
Nets, 4 for 25c

Extra large size. All shades. Very serviceable. Notion section, 4 25c for

Silk Ribbons  
at 20c

A collection of taffeta and moire ribbons in practically all plain shades. 4 1/2 to 5 inches wide, 20c at

## Housecleaning Time Special!

Wizard Mop  
Combination -  
**\$1.25**



Mop—Duster—Polish

For furniture, floors, enamel beds, etc.

—The Wizard Mop absorbs dust, cleans and polishes all kinds of floors, works easily, quickly and thoroughly. Triangle shape for removing dust from corners. Made with adjustable handle. Strong and very serviceable.

—The Wizard Polish. It is more than a floor and furniture polish. It beautifies everything while you dust with it. Acts as a food to fine varnished surfaces and prevents unsightly cracking when used in time.

—The Wizard Duster. Large size. It is chemically treated. Easily cleaned when impregnated with dust.

This regular \$1.75 combination on sale tomorrow at \$1.25 only

Sport Handker-  
chiefs 15c to 25c

Displayed in many charming checks, stripes, novelty patterns, etc. Ranging from 15c to 25c

Patriotic  
Novelties 10c

Small flag clasps for coat lapels. Also a varied collection of novelty pins, tie clasps, etc., in patriotic colors 10c

Chocolate  
Cherries 39c

One pound box with hand-some cherry designed cover. Tied with silk 39c ribbon. Extra special 39c

We Make  
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In All Standard  
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**THE HEART  
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## BURY HIM AT 4 IN THE MORNING

No Sorrowing Friends or Clergyman Present as Aged Man Directs.

### WISHED A MERE PLANTING

In literal fulfillment of the terms of his will, Henry Briggs, an aged and well-to-do retired merchant of Sycamore, was buried at 4 o'clock in the morning. No clergyman nor sorrowing friend was present; there were no flowers and the casket was a rough box. The undertaker drove to the house in the dark, quiet before day broke, loaded the body into his wagon and drove to the cemetery.

There a grave digger, who had had to pile out of his bed in the middle of the night, awaited him. A hole in the ground had been freshly dug. The two duggers, the box out of the wagon and lowered away just as Mrs. Katie Doyle, a daughter of the deceased, drove up in an automobile. She looked on quietly.

As the undertaker and the grave digger drew up the straps with which they had let the casket down, they said not a word. The grave digger began shoveling in earth; the undertaker turned to jump upon his wagon and drive away; the automobile started up with a loud whirr. The queer funeral was over.

All had been in accordance with Mr. Briggs' last written wishes. He was economical and frequently had said that religious services and funerals were displays for the ignorant, and that preaching was humbug. He was described as Sycamore's most positive man and no one dared to argue with him. Eighty years old, and widely traveled, he was a voracious reader of scientific works.

He was married three times. Mr. Briggs had three children by his several wives, all girls. He left an estate valued at about \$25,000.

### AURORA BANKER SUES BOY FOLLOWING AUTO WRECK

William Estes, president of the Merchants National bank, has started suit in the circuit court at Geneva against Olof Nelson, 17, of Geneva, asking \$2,000 damages.

Robert Wing represents Estes. Atty. Harry Hanson of Geneva represents Nelson.

The suit is the result of an automobile collision last Sunday in the Lincoln highway in front of the Crego home north of Loveland.

It was reported that both machines were going north and that Mr. Estes' car was driven into the Crego driveway, so he could make a turn. Nelson struck the rear of his machine, it was said.

Mr. Nelson claims that no person in the Estes car gave him a warning that they intended to turn into the Crego driveway.

### STRAWBERRIES CHEAPER

Strawberries dropped from 20 cents per quart box, asked yesterday, to 15 cents today. These prices are quoted on fancy berries, others having been sold cheaper.

Home-grown vegetables which are now coming in from surrounding truck gardeners are reducing the prices of these commodities and each day they are a little cheaper.

Seed and old potatoes are selling at \$1.50 per bushel and new potatoes at \$1.10 a peck, the same prices that prevailed for several days.

Flour, which yesterday jumped to the high mark, \$4.50 per 49-pound sack, remains the same today. Eggs are selling at 24 cents a dozen; butter, 45 cents a pound and sugar, 10 pounds for \$1. These prices are quoted by a store that sells on credit and does not deliver.

### CHURCH EFFICIENCY CONFERENCE TONIGHT

Continuing the church efficiency conference of the Aurora district of Methodist churches, there will be talks again this evening in a number of the churches. At the First Methodist church, the Rev. J. M. Will of Yorkville will talk on "The Board of Home and Foreign Missions," and the Rev. Fred Stone of Elgin will speak on the "Board of Education and Freedmen's Aid." At the Fourth Street church the Rev. J. V. Bennett of Plattville will speak on "City and Rural Problems" and the Rev. George Gable of Elgin on "Conference Claimant's Endowment." The Rev. G. F. Courrier of Aurora will talk at the Galena Boulevard Methodist church on "Home Missions and Immigration," and the Rev. Charles Lyon of Elgin on "War and Foreign Missions." The Rev. D. D. Vaughan will speak at Plano on "Doctrine History and Policy of the Methodist Church," and the Rev. Charles Lyon will speak at Sandwich on "The Stewardship of Personality."

### "JOHNNY BULL" STORY

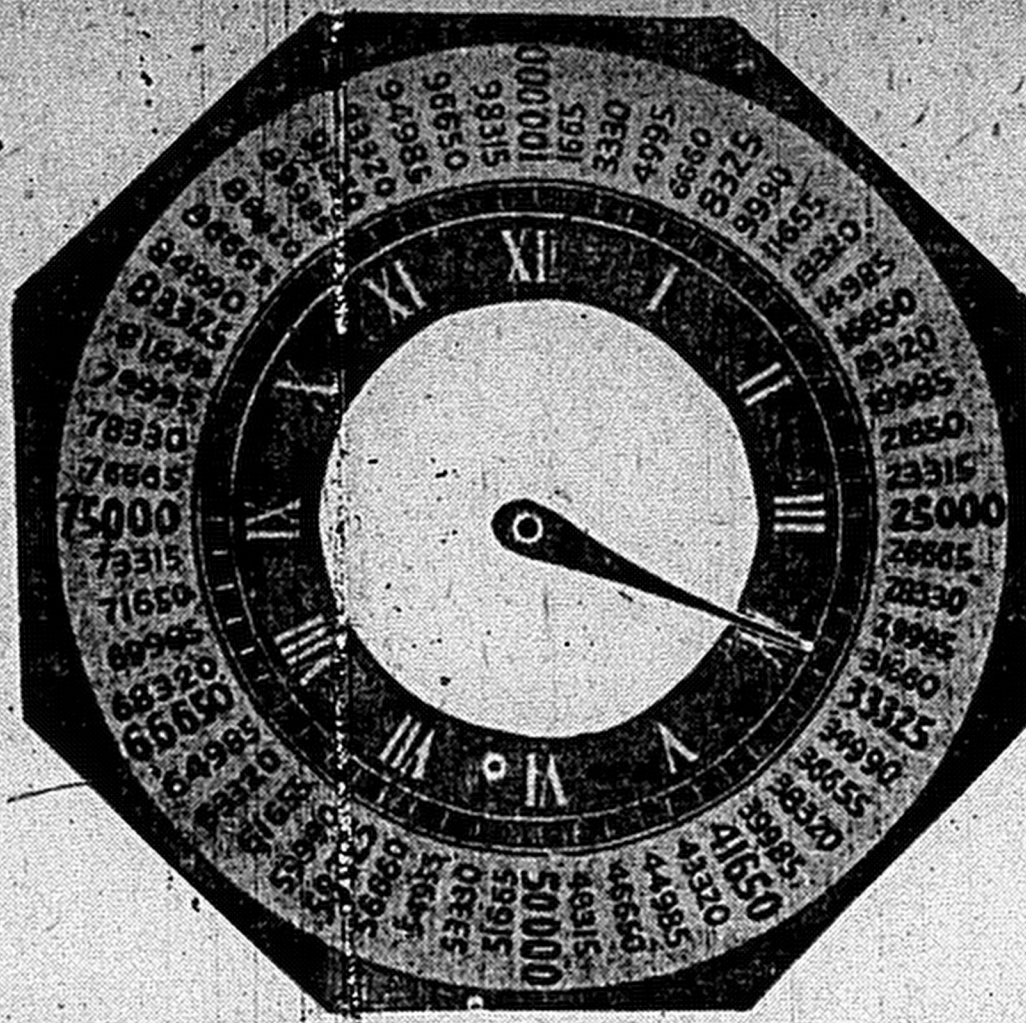
Joe Dunn told folks today that a "Johnny Bull" got out of the bull pen last night right under the blooming coopers' nose. When becoming moderately drunk, he did not name the name of the exploit at first. Later he admitted he was the "Johnny Bull."

The police version of the story is different. It is that Joe was looked up last night after a quarrel with his wife and was later released.

Early Morning Runaway—Flood West Park avenue was a noisy place at 3 o'clock this morning. Many were awakened from sound slumber. Probable Clark Bert Galtbreith, who was awakened by the noise, said he thought it was made by growing poplars in the garden. The disturbance was made by a milk wagon horse who tried to get away from the high cost of food.

Record of a Cross.  
[By Associated Press Leased Wire.]  
Springfield, Ill., May 11.—Virden, 13 miles south of here, with a population of 4,000, has a Red Cross membership of 800. This, it is said, is the record in Illinois for proportion of enrollment to population. Virden is a coal mining town.

### Clock Shows Hospital Pledges



## FINAL DRIVE IS ON FOR THE HOSPITAL

Workers Scour the Town in Last Effort to Reach New \$80,000 Goal.

More Than \$32,000 Reported Collected as the Last Day of Campaign Starts.

The Aurora City hospital campaign will close tonight at 6 o'clock. The final report of the workers will be given at the banquet starting at that hour. The campaign will close with the total amount pledged far below the \$100,000 mark set as the goal of the campaign. The hospital workers feel that they have accomplished all that was possible under the existing conditions. The total so far reported is \$32,850.72. If the workers pass the \$40,000 mark tonight they will feel well satisfied with things as they turned out.

"We are feeling fine," said F. G. Agasson, general chairman of the campaign committee. "When we close tonight nobody is going to be sorry or sore except the people who refused to give. We have done our best. Conditions were against us."

The workers went forth today in the final drive for \$80,000, the amount pledged as the lowest which would put the hospital on a good basis. It would take a landslide during the closing hours to reach the mark however.

The dinner tonight will be an important affair so far as entertainment goes. It will be served promptly at 6 o'clock and those in charge expect that the ceremonies will be by 8 o'clock or shortly afterward. Mr. Agasson will preside.

In the final drive the entire city was canvassed by the workers. In a number of instances people voluntarily raised their subscriptions to the hospital fund, in some cases increasing their several hundred per cent.

### SPRINGFIELD SALOONS SELLING SOFT DRINKS

[By Associated Press Leased Wire.]  
Springfield, Ill., May 11.—A large number of the buildings formerly occupied by saloons here are still frequented by the same customers who spent money over the bars before prohibition was put under the ban at the election of April 3 and banished to 30 days later.

The doors of these places are open and the same bartenders stand ready to serve "the old crowd," but this time with some beverage without a "kick" in it.

Several dozen saloon keepers whose leases have not expired, are trying to gather in enough nickels to pay rent, they say. A few even have said they will continue in the soft drink business at the old stands, utilizing the bar fixtures, with the hope that two years hence the recent victory of the "drys" will be reversed.

Police officials have received orders from the commissioner of public health and safety to raid every place under suspicion of "bootlegging" and the city council is preparing to pass a "bone dry" ordinance which is as drastic as the state supreme court's interpretation of the liquor statutes will allow. Since May 3 there have been a score of arrests for illegal selling of liquor.

Ice Price Goes Up.  
[By Associated Press Leased Wire.]  
Springfield, Ill., May 11.—Ice dealers here have advanced the price from 40 cents a hundred pounds to 60 cents. The closing of 215 saloons on May 3 had nothing to do with the increase, they say.

## RUSSIAN THIEVES HOLD MASS MEETING TO REFORM

[By Associated Press Leased Wire.]  
Petrograd, May 10, via London, May 11.—A mass meeting of thieves was recently held at Rostoff on the Don to demand a share in the new freedom and a chance to turn over a new leaf. The chief of the local militia, and the president and several members of the council of workmen and soldiers deputies were present on invitation.

Practically all branches of the profession of thievery were represented and several of the most accomplished members made speeches in which they outlined the difficulties confronting them and declared that it was impossible to return to honest pursuits without the help and support of the community.

The speakers complained that recently the population had risen against them and, in some instances, went so far as to lynch some of their brothers.

Chief of Militia Raimkoff asked for help and support by the people in aiding the efforts of the thieves at reformation.

Charles Spick, 441 South Fourth street, president Messing & Parks Manufacturing company.

William A. Searl, 241 Fox street, carpenter and official of labor unions.

Spinner J. Ricker, 245 Ave. street, assistant to purchasing agent gas company.

One Woman Candidate.  
Miss Jessie Farnsworth, 533 Liberty street, real estate.

It is believed that a large vote will be cast because friends of each candidate are doing much organized work. The special election resulted from the resignation of George Distenrich, who moved to the west side.

### NORWEGIAN SHIPS SUNK

[By Associated Press Leased Wire.]  
London, May 10.—The Norwegian steamers Elger and Jalkanger have been sunk by German submarines 10 miles off the northwest coast of Spain. According to information received here the submarines halted the steamers in Spanish waters and escorted them beyond the territorial limit where they were sunk.

### LOWDEN SEEKS REST

[By Associated Press Leased Wire.]  
Springfield, Ill., May 11.—Governor Lowden was to leave here this morning for his plantation in Arkansas for a few days' rest. He will be accompanied by George H. Hutton, his secretary.

### Settle Rock Island Strike of Carpenters

[By Associated Press Leased Wire.]  
Rock Island, Ill., May 11.—A strike involving 800 union carpenters in Rock Island, Moline and Davenport, and which had tied up practically all building operations for two weeks, was settled today, the contractors signing a two-year agreement to pay the men \$2 1/2 cents an hour, with an eight-hour day. The carpenters were receiving 25 cents an hour. A compromise of 40 cents an hour offered by the contractors was rejected, and today the latter finally voted to pay the journeymen the wage they demanded.

### Use "Gets-It", Lift Corn Right Off

Shrivels, loosens—and it's done! Just like taking the lid off—that's how easy you can lift a corn off your toe after it has been treated with the wonderful discovery, "Gets-It". Hunt the wide world over and you'll find nothing so magic, simple and easy as "Gets-It". You folks who

have wrapped your toes in bandages to look like bundles, who have used knives that turned your toes raw and sore, and used plasters that would shift from their place and never "set" the corn, and who have dug and picked at your corns with knives and scissors and perhaps made them bleed—just quit these old and painful ways and try "Gets-It" just once. You put 2 or 3 drops on and it dries at once. There's nothing to stick. You can put your shoes and stockings right on again. The pain is all gone. Then the corn dies a painless, shriveling death, it loosens from your toe, and off it comes. "Gets-It" is the biggest selling corn remedy in the world today. There's none other as good.

"Gets-It" is sold by druggists everywhere, 85c a bottle, or sent on receipt of price by E. L. Lusk & Co., Chicago, Ill.

Sold in Aurora and recommended as the world's best corn remedy by Grimm's drug store.

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Outstanding features of the universal bill as drafted by the senate and house conferees and certain to be enacted into law:

AGES OF DRAFT, 21 TO 30 INCLUSIVE.  
AGES OF VOLUNTEERS, 18 TO 40 INCLUSIVE.  
Number subject to draft: 11,000,000  
To be obtained by draft or volunteers:  
Number to be drawn by selective conscription: 1,000,000  
(In two drafts of 500,000 each.)  
Regular army: 200,000  
National Guard: 625,000  
Special and technical troops: 76,000  
Total strength provided: 2,001,000

Terms of service: Period of emergency.  
Exemptions:  
Federal and state officers.  
Ministers of religion and theological students.  
Members of religious sects opposed to war.

Exemption:  
County and municipal officers.  
Customs house clerks, mail employees.  
Employees of armories, arsenals and navy yards.  
Persons engaged in industries, including agriculture.  
Those supporting dependents.  
The physically and morally deficient.

Method for draft:  
Proclamation by the president for registration.  
Immediate registration by those of draft age.  
Selection from register of men for service.  
Dispatch of men drafted to nearest training camp.

Provision for pay:  
Second-class private: \$25  
First-class private: 21  
Corporal: 32  
Sergeant: 42  
Quartermaster and hospital sergeants: 46  
First sergeant: 50  
Sergeants' thrown around the army?  
Prohibition.  
Suppression of the social evil.

Little Boy Is Paid  
FOR LOSS OF HIS LEGS

Eugene ("Tiny Tim") Whalen, the 4-year-old boy of Clinton, Ill., who was awarded \$18,000 damages by a jury in the circuit court at Geneva in a suit against the Illinois Central in an action for \$100,000 for the loss of both legs, has been given a settlement. It was learned today.

It was stated that the settlement was for between \$5,000 and \$10,000. A verification could not be obtained.

Eugene is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Whalen of Clinton. The money he receives will be put at interest to be given to him when he becomes 21 years old and by that time the principal will be more than doubled at 6 per cent interest.

There is already a fund of \$1,000 in a Clinton bank, subscribed by citizens of Clinton, for use in buying artificial limbs for the boy. He cannot use artificial limbs until he becomes physically stronger. His legs are off at the knees.

ICY CAR STEP CAUSES  
WOMAN TO SUE A. E. & C.

An alleged icy step of a Lincoln avenue car, said to have caused Mrs. Phoebe Jones of Concord street to slip and fall as she was leaving the car at Evans avenue January 1, last, resulting in injuries, has caused Mrs. Jones, thru her counsel, Atorney Edward Lyons, to start suit against the A. E. & C. railroad today in the circuit court at Geneva. She asks for \$10,000. Only a praecipe was filed.

Now days people are "not" wondering when they will get rich, but are wondering how long it will be before they starve to death.

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Continuing an established policy of rendering the best service to its patrons, we take pleasure in announcing a new feature of service which we have installed—

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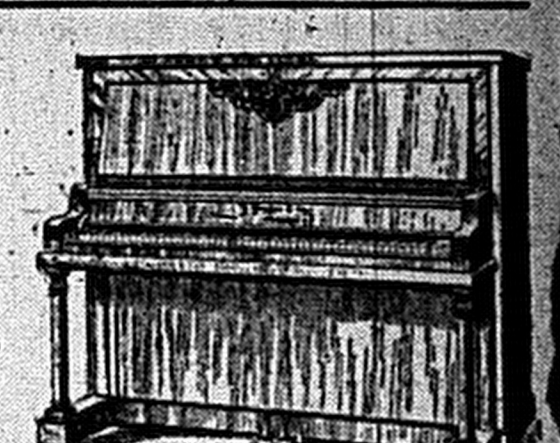
A system for saving a Diamond, Watch or other substantial piece of jewelry. Among the clubs in operation are the Christmas Savings Club, Vacation Club, Fuel Club, Insurance Club, etc. The success of these have proven that the "Thrift Way" is the best way.

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We are closing out our great stock of second-hand, used and shop worn Pianos, taken in exchange on players and Edison Phonographs, at less than manufacturer's cost.



## NO MONEY DOWN-PAY \$1 A WEEK

For a few cents a day you cannot afford to be without a piano.

## FREE 30 Days Trial

During this great bargain sale of fine pianos, we send any piano selected to your home on 30 days' Free Trial. If you are not satisfied with it we will call for it and you are not obligated in the least.

## Used Pianos

Starck, oak, fine as new, was \$450, now \$275; Bush & Gerts, mahogany, practically new; \$475, now \$250; Decker Bros., mahogany, 10 years old, beauty, \$185; Stuyvesant, mahogany, good value \$175, now \$125; J. & C. Fischer, fine tone, worth \$150, now \$100; Eldredge, mahogany, good condition, \$85; Steger & Sons, ebony case, \$70; Edison cylinder phonograph, 20 records, \$6; Edison cylinder phonograph, 40 records, \$10; Bauer square piano, good, \$20; organs, \$3 to \$10. Easy terms on all. Seatons, 19 Fox street, Aurora, Ill.

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## Ladies' Coat

Of all wool, mustard color velour. Slightly high waisted model with belt of self material. White broadcloth collar and cuffs. A \$25 value, \$16.98 special.

## Coats at Greatly Reduced Prices

To reduce our present heavy stock and to stimulate buying in our ready-to-wear department, we are introducing radical reductions on most all of our coats. Buy now and save from a third to a half. See our display in south window.

## Combination Dress Coat

Made of navy blue French Serge only. Handsomely piped in white and buttoning the entire length with mother of pearl buttons. Has large collar and cuffs. Can be worn either as a coat or dress, \$25.00 value. Special \$14.98

## Misses' Gabardine Coat

Coming in Receda green only. Is made over a high waisted model and belted with a self-material belt having two fancy buckles at back. Large collar and cuffs. Saddle stitching. A \$15.00 value. Special \$9.98

## Ladies' Poplin Coats

This pretty coat is the new beet color with mustard collar and cuffs of velour. Belted very high and shirred full from the belt line. A \$25 value. Special \$14.98

## Ladies' Poplin Coats

An all wool garment, mustard color, made over a full flare model shirred from a high waist line. Large pointed collar, cuffs and pockets trimmed with saddle's stitching. Buttons on waist line, cuffs and collar add to the beauty of the coat. A \$15.00 value. \$9.98

## Dark Colored Hats at \$2.95

For Saturday only we place on sale a large variety of dark colored hats with tailored trimmings, which sold earlier in the season up to \$6 and \$7. Your choice for Saturday only \$2.95



## Aurora Society News

"Who ran to help me when I fell, and would some pretty story tell, the place to make it well my mother."

Mothers' day, Sunday, May 13, will be observed in Aurora, and will have more than the usual significance in these days when so many lads and lassies are planning to leave home to do their bit for their country. That day will be observed by a large percentage of the city's population is evidenced by the fact that the carnations, the flower set apart for Mother's day, has advanced in price from something like 75 cents a dozen to a dollar and a dollar and a quarter, which price will prevail on Saturday and Sunday. It seems likely that the pretty carnations will be commercialized, but supply and demand have ever controlled the price of carnations, or any other commodity, and the carnations of the nation can report to the dandelion which never limits its supply of blossoms, and which its pure gold as freely as air.

A correction. An error in setting the report read by Mrs. J. H. Hillis, chairman of the club home committee of the Aurora Woman's club, appearing in the issue of last evening, caused the amount given to charities and philanthropies during the past two years to appear as "\$3500" whereas it should have read "\$35,000."

**Mrs. Lowenthal to Speak.**  
Mrs. J. H. Hillis, second vice president of the Aurora Woman's club, has planned, to speak before the members of the home and education department of the woman's club at the next meeting, but as she finds that she cannot come to Aurora on Tuesday, the date announced, this meeting of the department will be held Saturday afternoon at the home of the chairman, Mrs. T. J. Merrill, in Highland avenue. Mrs. Merrill is improving from a severe attack of tonsillitis.

**A Little Daughter.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wright of Homewood announce the birth yesterday of a daughter, weighing seven pounds. Mrs. Wright was formerly Miss Margaret Kaiser, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Kaiser. The little girl has been given the name Emma Jean Kaiser Wright.

**Large Meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society.**  
A large meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary society of the Aurora Methodist church was held yesterday at the home of Mrs. Fred Brown. Various reports were given including that from the jubilee banquet at the Sherman hotel, from which the thought was brought that the grateful thought of the abundant life (Why didn't they turn that sentence around?) Twelve members were added to the society. Mrs. C. E. Gary gave a fine paper upon Korea, including in her description of customs that of the writing of misdeeds upon a kite and permitting them to float away, and a lack of the gentle sephira, placing them in a vase and permitting the junk mail to cart them away. Mrs. M. E. Woolf sang several numbers. Mrs. G. Anderson gave a report concerning the Women's Missionary "Friend" and Mrs. William Smith read "The Flag Speech."

**Loyal 12 Meet.**  
The Loyal 12 held a meeting yesterday with Mrs. O. L. Van Alstine and Mrs. G. S. Case at the home of Mrs. Van Alstine. There were cards followed by luncheon. Mrs. Charles Anderson assisting the two hostesses in serving. At cards the scores were made by Mrs. James Segers, Mrs. Sylvia Adams, Mrs. Case and Mrs. E. J. Walsh. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. H. F. Reilein and Mrs. James Segers at the home of the latter. By the way Mrs. Reilein is among those present in the city who know how it feels to fall upon a hard, hard surface, although she waited until after the rush of the winter's visit. Mrs. Reilein fell while engaged in lodge duties last Monday, breaking her wrist and spraining her arm. Perhaps Mrs. Reilein is a southerner and will be able to deal the kyards with her hand.

**Honor Miss Lillian Krum.**  
The Young People's alliance, 40 in number, of the Zion Evangelical church entertained at the home of Julius Miller in Watson street last evening, in honor of Miss Lillian Krum and J. W. Mitchell, whose marriage will occur soon. There were games and music and later the hostess served luncheon. A beautiful gift was given to Miss Krum and Mr. Mitchell.

**Masonic May Party.**  
More than 200 members of Rising Sun chapter, Order of Eastern Star and friends enjoyed the May party given in Masonic hall last evening. The special feature of the evening was a May pole dance in charge of Miss Dora Harrison, one of the well-known kindergarten teachers, in which 14 women of the chapter took part. Two charming solos dances by Geraldine Chapman were much enjoyed. Mrs. Fred Butke was crowned queen of the May. Miss Fannie Boyle was maid of honor. There was dancing and cards during the evening with the honors going to Mrs. F. C. Weisner, Mrs. E. D. Terry, Mrs. Charles Engstrom and E. P. Hoerr.

Refreshments consisting of ice cream and cakes were served in the dining room, the tables being decorated in pink and green candles. The proceeds of the party will be given to Mrs. J. E. Harley's team for the Aurora hospital campaign.

**Silent Twelve.**  
Mrs. J. P. Kinnally entertained the members of the Silent Twelve club at

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MADE FROM THE HIGHEST GRADE DURUM WHEAT COOKED IN 12 MINUTES. COOK BOOK FREE SKINNER MFG. CO. OMAHA, U.S.A.

her home in New York street yesterday afternoon. Five hundred was played and Mrs. W. H. McCullough, Mrs. Charles Bennett and Mrs. W. J. McGuire won the honors. Refreshments were served after tea. Mrs. Charles Bennett will have the next meeting.

**Park Place Woman's Society.**  
The Woman's society of the Park Place Baptist church met yesterday afternoon in the church parlors. Mrs. D. N. Dietrich and Mrs. T. E. Jones were the hostesses. Mrs. E. W. Lounsbury gave a report of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society convention at Peoria and Mrs. Edward Connelley gave a paper on "Christian Epistles in the Protestant Mission." Mrs. George Cook led the devotional, services and Mrs. Edward Brewer sang. Refreshments were served.

**Attended Wedding at St. Louis.**  
Mrs. Edward W. Copelin of Iowa avenue has returned from St. Louis where she attended the wedding of Miss Ruth VanNort to Arthur Tomkins. Miss VanNort is quite well known in Aurora having visited here frequently. Mr. Tomkins is an officer in the Pacific coast artillery and leaves in three months. Mrs. Copelin had the pleasure of seeing General Joffre while at St. Louis and says the demonstration for the French commission was no less than that afforded them in Chicago.

**Friendly Workers' Class.**  
The Friendly Workers' class of the Salem United Evangelical church was entertained last evening at the home of Mrs. J. H. Hillis in May street. Miss Beale Williford gave a talk of her work as city missionary. Miss Lila Richards sang. Mrs. A. W. Arthur, teacher of the class read, and duets were given by Miss Cress and Miss Rose Faust accompanied by Mrs. W. M. Richards, violin and Mrs. Richards, piano. Committees for the year's work were announced and light refreshments were served.

**Tribe of Ben Hur.**  
The May party given by Tribe of Ben Hur in Charlemagne hall Wednesday was one of the enjoyable events of the week. One of the features of the evening was a May pole dance given by 15 little girls all under 12 years of age. Little Gladys Beem, crowned May queen. Jane Jones, the maid of honor. Mrs. H. D. Rhodes had charge of the May pole. Miss Beale Beem and Miss Hazel Foster gave solos. Miss June Rhodes and Dixie Mason read and fact-facts were given by Herbert McGarry and Hazel Jones.

Later refreshments were served in the banquet hall to about one hundred and twenty-five. The children were served at last night's dancing followed by the committee in charge were Mesdames Ronaldson, Stewart, Collins, Smith and Stuart. Miss Ethel Rhodes and Miss Luella Lamb were at the piano.

**Helping Hands.**  
Mrs. John Probert was hostess to the Helping Hands club and friends at her home in Fox street Wednesday afternoon. High honors at cards were made by Mrs. E. Cain, Mrs. George Pfeiffer and Mrs. J. Joslyn. Luncheon was served later. The next meeting will be held May 23 with Mrs. Pfeiffer.

**Surprise Mr. and Mrs. Rieper.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Alois Rieper were surprised at their home in Wheaton by 25 friends from Aurora Wednesday evening. Five hundred was played and Mrs. Rieper gave the honors. The guests were Mrs. Joseph Brummel, Mrs. Paul Ziemer and Tony Shrymer. A luncheon was served later. The decorations were in yellow and white.

**May Breakfast.**  
The Young Ladies' society of Holy

Angels church will enjoy a May breakfast Sunday morning in the school hall after 7:30 o'clock mass.

**Woman's Catholic Union.**  
The Woman's Catholic union of this district held the regular meeting Wednesday in St. Nicholas church hall and elected the following officers: President, Miss Elizabeth Lehr; first vice president, Mrs. Mary Smith; second vice president, Mrs. Mary Becker; secretary, Miss Josephine Dickler. Plans were made for a card party Tuesday afternoon and evening, June 5. Mrs. Mayme Raab was elected chairman of the committee in charge.

**Beta Phi Delta.**  
The young women of the Beta Phi Delta society who have accomplished a great deal of philanthropic work since their organization, in addition to social meetings, are the first of the Aurora women to contemplate the purchase of a knitting machine upon which to turn out the washing for the soldiers. Any number of these machines are in use in Chicago. The Beta members find that they have on hand in the treasury the necessary amount for the purchase of the machine, and at yesterday's meeting at the home of Miss Martha Ruddy, this decision was made.

There was the usual card game yesterday, the score going to Miss Hazel Olson. The next meeting will be held a week from Saturday with Miss Ruth Stephens.

**Vesta Circle Dancing Party.**  
Two hundred couples attended the dancing party given last evening in Charlemagne hall by the Vesta circle. Souvenirs were distributed among all the guests, while trophies were awarded for the best waltzing to Mrs. Tena Betcher and Frank LaRoy. Music was furnished by the Collins orchestra.

**To Be Married Tonight.**  
The marriage of Miss Gertrude Halling, daughter of John Halling, of Pennsylvania avenue, and Vincent Demont, who for a number of years has made his home with Mr. and Mrs. Walter D. Crossman in South River street, will take place this evening at 7 o'clock. Vincent has many friends in Aurora. The bride-elect formerly resided in Belvidere.

**A meeting of the L. C. S. S. of Sugar Grove** was held yesterday with Mrs. J. M. Hillis in view street. Mrs. Sarah Fritz gave a talk concerning the work of the Red Cross Shop, and a committee was appointed by the society to look into the matter of Red Cross work. Mrs. LeRoy Stephens sang several times, accompanied by Mrs. Karl Miller. A fine paper was read by Miss Emma Stockwell, taking as her subject Robert Browning's "Pippa Passes," later Mrs. Stephens singing "The Year at the Spring." Supper was served, it being present.

**Recital at North Aurora.**  
A fine recital by the pupils of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Schneider of Malady lawn, was given at the North Aurora church Thursday evening, the program comprising piano, violin and vocal numbers. Those who took part were Mary Reed, Elizabeth Tanner, Jessie Lindstrom, Marjorie Sperry, Vernon Rogers, Edward Tanner, Evelyn Winter, Florence and Minnie Worth, Elsie Wall, Grace Johnson, Theresa Meyer, Marguerite Long, Lucille Baker, Genevieve Tanner, Florence Anderson, Harold Starkel, Beatrice Graham, Gunner Anderson, Theodore Plant, Emeline Schneider, Ruth Shaw and Phillip Eckman.

**Returned From California.**  
Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Mason returned last night from California where

they have been for four months. They left summer weather, 34 degrees Sunday, with flowers in profusion everywhere. Almost every woman who boarded the overland train Monday had her hair filled with roses and when they awoke Wednesday morning in Wyoming, the snow for 40 miles was nearly a foot deep and drifted almost to the tops of the fences. Illinois, they report, is looking the best of any of the states the way.

The Lookout Girls (formerly the Bright-Eyed Six Girls) met Wednesday afternoon with Miss Elva Watson, 322 Center avenue. The afternoon was spent in games.

**SAYS COLD WEATHER IS BOON TO CROPS.**  
While merchants and city folk are complaining of the cold spring weather which keeps hanging on, the farmer is overjoyed at the cold weather, which is much better than warmer weather at this time of the year, one of the best known and most successful farmers in this vicinity said today.

A year ago last February the weather was very warm and, according to this man, the country is paying for it today in the way of high priced wheat and other grain. He says the warm weather of a year ago in February is to blame for the grain shortage of today.

All small grain is being greatly benefited by the present cold weather, he declares. The grain is now beginning to come up and looks fine. The crop in this vicinity will be very large, he says.

At this time of the year if the weather is very warm with lots of hot sun the ground becomes baked and the soil requires much working over, such as loosening up the surface and breaking the lumps, which are dry and baked by the sun. The soil, as it is now, is very fertile and needs little attention. Thru the Fox river valley farmers think their crops for this season are going to be large and as the great needs of the country's future in the war depends greatly upon the farmer, more ground than heretofore has been put under cultivation.

**Bon Hour Club.**  
Mrs. Charles Hoffman of Plum street entertained the members of the Bon Hour club Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Minnie Wasson won the favor at a guessing contest. Later a three-course luncheon was served. In two weeks the club will meet with Mrs. Geneva Marshall.

**Norwegian-Danish Ladies' Aid.**  
The Ladies' Aid society of the Norwegian-Danish Lutheran church was entertained yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Oscar Hanson in Rosewood avenue. A pleasant social afternoon was enjoyed. Mrs. Thomas Richardson sang and delicious refreshments were served.

**Swedish Methodist Ladies' Aid.**  
Mrs. A. F. Erickson entertained the Ladies' Aid society of the Swedish Methodist church at her home in McMillan and Hartford avenues yesterday.

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Woman's Lisle Hose

29c

Women's silk-lisle hose, all white or black, high ankle heel, double sole and toe, deep garter top; regular 35c value, 29c.

Boy's Wash Suits

59c

Made of excellent quality percales in pretty stripes of light or dark blue or tan, also plain tan, trimmed with white collar and belt; sizes 3 1/2 to 3 1/2, 75c value, 59c.

Men's Union Suits

59c

Medium weight, fine ribbed, short sleeve, ankle length, cream or white, nicely finished; sizes 34 to 46; regular 75c value, 59c.

Woman's Blouses at

98c

Sheer white voiles and organdies, 35 different new styles, beautifully trimmed with laces and embroidered; sizes 16 to 46; \$1.50 value, 98c.

Children's White Dresses

79c

Made of sheer white materials, two very pretty styles, embroidered and lace trimmed, low neck, short sleeves; sizes 2 to 6 years; \$1.10 value, 79c.

Women's Corsets Only

49c

New medium model, low bust, long skirt, four hose supporters, sizes 19 up to 28, made of extra good quality coutil; 60c value, 49c.

Boy's Khaki Pants

59c

Boys' Khaki Pants (Knickerbocker style) with straight side and hip pockets; sizes 6 to 15 years; regular 75c value, only 59c.

Woman's Petticoats

69c

Made of excellent ginghams, blue nurses' stripe and plain colors, 15 inch bias flounce, full cut, regular and extra sizes; 85c value, 69c.

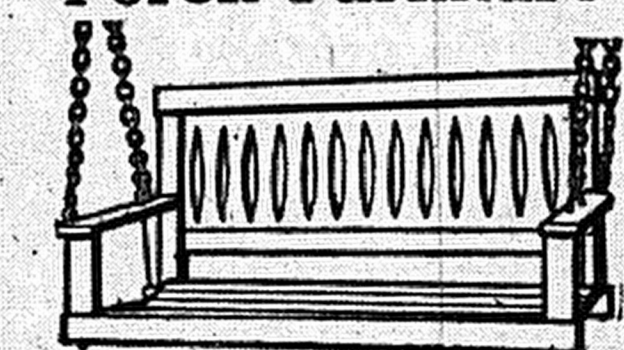
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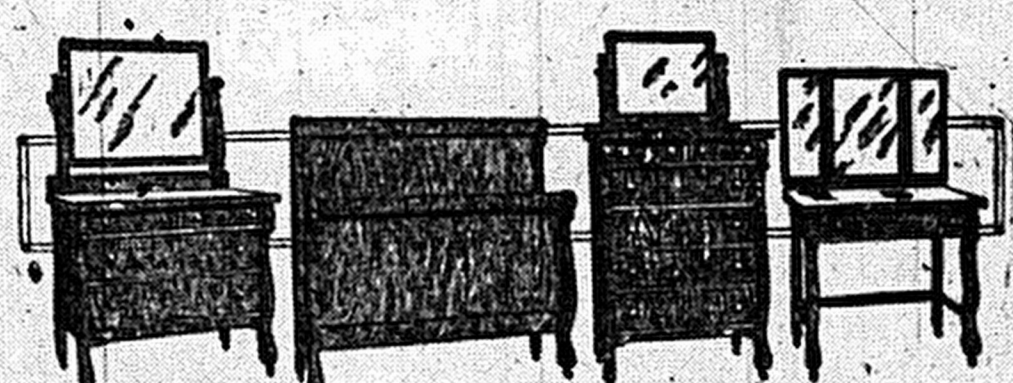
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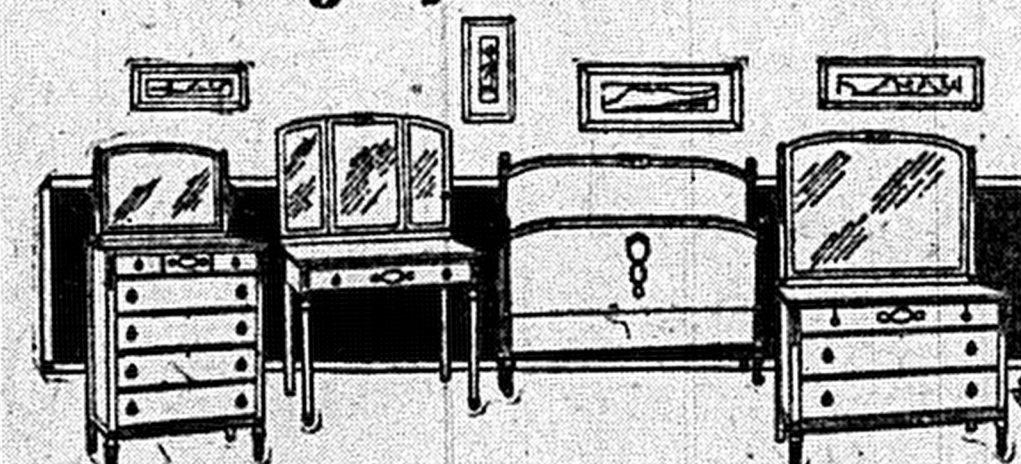
Curtain Stretchers 77c

## Golden Oak Bedroom Suite



GOLDEN OAK BEDROOM SUITE AS SHOWN  
Colonial Oak Bed with roll as shown in cut.....\$14.75  
Chiffonier, quartered oak, to match.....12.00  
Quartered Oak Dresser to match, French plate mirror 19.75

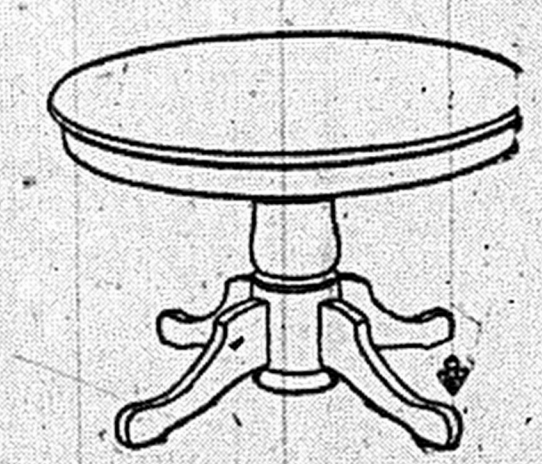
## Mahogany Bedroom Suite



Four-piece brown mahogany period Bedroom Suite as shown in cut. Dressing Table with three bevel mirrors, dresser 42 inch base large mirror, all drawers dust paneled, bed and chiffonier to match, four pieces taken together, special, \$25.75

New Stock of Gas Stoves On Display

## Extension Table



45-inch solid oak Extension Table, full quarter sawed oak base, a handsome piece of furniture, quantity limited. \$14.75

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Oak Diner to match table advertised, very strong bolt construction, Spanish leather seat, similar to cut Saturday only, each \$2.45

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Heywood & Fulton Go-Carts, reed gondolas and sulkies, a very large assortment, reed carts with hood, special \$11.95

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**BEECHAM'S PILLS**  
Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World. Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c, 25c.

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As dainty a J. G. SPRING MODEL as eyes ever saw or feet slipped into, at  
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TAN, RUSSIA or BLACK GLAZED Choice of all with GRAY BOOT-CLOTH upper, quarter and HEEL  
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Treasury Department Informs  
Aurora Banks of Popular  
Small Denomination Issue.

Places Opportunity in Hands of All  
to "Do Their Bit" in Helping  
Uncle Sam.

Fifty dollars will buy a share in the "Liberty Loan," Secretary of Treasury McAdoo announced today. Aurora banks, which will handle a portion of the loan, were notified of the minimum amount.

In the earlier stages of the discussion over the proposed loan, it was stated that the minimum bond might be \$20, but objections were raised to this minimum, and it was said the smallest bond would call for \$100. In announcing a final decision, Secretary McAdoo said that \$50 coupon bonds, payable to bearer would be provided.

The bonds in the liberty loan will be dated June 15 instead of July 1, and the semi-annual interest dates will be June 15 and December 15. The bonds will mature in 30 years, but may be redeemed by the government at the end of 15 years. They will bear interest at the rate of 5 1/2 per cent, but may be exchanged later for war bonds calling for a higher rate of interest, if any are issued.

Payable in installments. Aurora subscribers to the bonds will be interested in the provisions for payment. Two per cent of the subscription must be paid when application is made for the bonds. The remainder will be paid as follows: June 28, 18 per cent; July 20, 20 per cent; August 15, 20 per cent; and August 30, 20 per cent. This completes the deal in four payments.

Two classes of bonds will be issued, registered and coupon. The lowest denomination of the registered bonds will be \$100, other denominations being \$500, \$1,000, \$2,000, \$5,000, \$10,000 and \$100,000. The coupon bonds, which are payable to bearer, will be issued in denominations of \$50, \$100, \$500 and \$1,000. It is announced that the present offering will be limited to \$100,000,000, although the war loan is \$1,000,000,000. This announcement disposed of the report that the government might accept excess subscriptions and extend the loan limit. It is now understood that excess subscriptions to the liberty loan, when the books close June 15, will be returned to the subscribers.

The banks are receiving subscriptions to the bonds, having subscribed for a large block of securities, acting in their capacity as banks and for customers. The allotments will be made subject to the returns from Washington.

Ask Early Application. In view of this possibility, the bankers suggest that Aurora people, anxious to participate in the liberty loan, make early application at the banks. Those who desire to take only a \$50 loan, will be able to bind the bargain so far as it can be closed at this time, by paying \$1, or 2 per cent, when application is made. The remaining four payments will be as follows on a \$50 bond: June 28, \$9; July 20, \$10; Aug. 15, \$10; and Aug. 30, \$10.

## "Q" TO BE GIVEN MORE TIME ON ELEVATION

Altho work on the Burlington railroad elevation is now going along slowly the company has two more years in which to complete the job. Under the elevation ordinance the company agrees to have the work completed in March, 1919, but there is a clause in the ordinance exempting the company from carrying out the agreement if the work is delayed through court action brought by property owners or by strikes or riots. Should the country be at war for two years, this causing shortage of labor, and material the city would not insist on the railroad company carrying out the agreement. City Attorney Kelley said today.

## RALLY AT BATAVIA

Another patriotic mass meeting will be held at Batavia Monday evening, Dr. B. J. Cigrand of Batavia announced today. A committee is trying to get a public speaker of reputation and ability for the meeting. The committee reports that they have received nearly enough money to pay for uniforms for 75 high school cadets and 50 boy scouts to be ready for Memorial Day exercises.

## TRAIL RIGHTS UPHOLD

The bill providing for copyrighting the markings used on automobile trails has passed the Illinois senate. The registration with the department of public works of the name, color, design and insignia of the road for the measure. The bill originated with the Aurora Automobile club because persons south of Aurora used the Starved Rock trail emblem to direct motorists to their towns and away from the established trail.

## ARIZONA GROWS

Arizona must be growing according to an announcement of the department of the interior received in Aurora today telling of the establishment of two new counties in the southwestern state. They are Polk county to which counties contribute and Leona county made up of a part of the present Chaves and Eddy counties. Both are in the southeastern part of the state.

The mere fact that you fall in love is no sign that you are going to stay there.

Among some bankers, there was a feeling that the minimum bond should be for \$100, on the theory that a bond in a smaller sum would involve an uncalculated expense. The authorities at Washington, however, decided to popularize the liberty loan as much as possible, and to this end put the securities within reach of most of the people.

If the war continues two years or more, it is likely there will be additional issues of the liberty loan. Those who desire to take but the \$2,000,000,000 that will be secured in this subscription, together with the special war revenue now being provided in a bill before congress, will be sufficient. It is believed, to meet all war demands up to the close of the next fiscal year, which will end June 30, 1919.

## Four Shore Commanders of the American Navy



CAPT. H. S. KNAPP



CAPT. H. H. HOUGH



CAPT. A. P. NIBLACK



CAPT. W. J. MAXWELL

Just at present these officers of Uncle Sam's navy are assigned to shore duty. Their work is not quite as thrilling and as picturesque as that of those who command the battleships, destroyers and dreadnoughts, but it is not less important. Capt. H. H. Hough is attached to the United States naval academy at Annapolis, where naval officers are trained. Capt. Harry S. Knapp is a member of the general board of the navy, which corresponds to the general staff of the army, and which maps out all of the strategic moves. Capt. A. P. Niblack is attached to the naval war college at Newport, R. I., where the sailors are trained for service on the warships. Capt. W. J. Maxwell is also attached to the naval war college.

## WOULD ENJOIN CLAM-HUNTERS

Anglers Declare the Ruthless  
Hook of Pearl Chasers Tears  
Up Fish Beds.

Beds of black bass in the Fox river near Yorkville in which thousands of fish are ready to spawn are being torn up by the ruthless hook of the clammer despite the repeated protests of fishermen. It was stated today, Great numbers of bass, ready to spawn, were put in the river several weeks ago by the state game commissioners.

Anglers plan to seek an injunction restraining the clambers from practices which imperil the fish. The game laws permit the hunting of clams but it also designs to protect spawning fish.

Joy Love and William McCulloch will consult authorities in Chicago on the matter.

## SELLS SIXTY FAT CATTLE AT \$200 PER HEAD

Two hundred dollars used to be a pretty fair price for a horse, but it has now become a standard for fat cattle. V. A. Hatch who resides at 200 Grand avenue and has a farm in the vicinity of Little Rock, sold 60 head of fat steers at an average price of \$200 per head in Chicago Wednesday. The cattle brought \$12.55 per hundredweight on the Chicago market and averaged approximately 1,500 pounds apiece.

## CUT OUT OFFICES

The roads and bridges committee of the Illinois senate has recommended the passage of the law making it compulsory for a township to have only one highway commissioner instead of three. The bill passed the lower house last week.

## NEW CITY FLAG

A new flag, 20x12 feet, was run up to the top of the pole on the city hall steeple this morning by Albert Holsting, city hall custodian. The old flag was badly torn and the new one was purchased by the committee on buildings and grounds.



## ADLER Collegian Clothes

Underneath the surface of every Collegian Spring Suit is Collegian quality that guarantees the wear—

Collegian quality in the weaves—the patterns—

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10 Pounds Pure Cane Sugar..... 95c	Sunkist Naval Oranges, 40c size, doz. 33c	New Potatoes, large sizes, pound..... 7c
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Good Luck, Downey Delight or Oak Grove, 28c pound..... 28c	Sunkist Naval Oranges, 30c size, doz. 24c	3 25c Cans Pears 55c for..... 55c
Takoma Biscuits, world's best soda cracker, per package..... 5c	Large California Lemons, dozen..... 19c	3 25c Cans Peaches 55c for..... 55c
3 Fresh Yeast Foam..... 10c	3 Jello, any flavor, for..... 25c	2 Large Packages Raisins..... 25c
Skinner's Macaroni or Spaghetti, 3 for..... 25c	2 Savoy Jelly Powder, same as Jello..... 15c	Extra Large Size Prunes, pound..... 14c
Campbell's Soup, all available kinds, can..... 10c	3 Fresh Corn Flakes 25c for..... 25c	Ohio Blue Tip or Searchlight, box..... 5c
Carnation or Dundee Milk, can..... 12c	Gold Dust, 25c size for..... 20c	Shredded Wheat per package..... 11c
3 10c Sacks Salt for 24c only..... 24c	Quaker Oats, 10c size for..... 8c	Grape Nut, per package..... 12c
3 10c Toilet Paper 24c for..... 24c	Quaker Oats, 25c size for..... 20c	Puffed Rice, package..... 13c
6 5c Toilet Paper 24c for..... 24c	Banner Brand Coffee, pound..... 21c	Food of Wheat same as Cream of Wheat..... 15c
3 5c Kleanser for 10c only..... 10c	5 Pounds Pop Corn, it pops, pound..... 24c	Sour Pickles, per dozen..... 10c
3 Dutch Kleanser 25c for..... 25c	Fresh Ginger Snaps, pound..... 10c	Dill Pickles, large jar..... 10c
3 Cans of Lye for 25c only..... 25c	3 Bunches Fresh Green Onions..... 10c	Quart Jar Mustard for..... 14c
	Dry Onions, pound only..... 8c	3 Fried Pancakes 25c for..... 25c

## While They Last, Fancy Louisiana Strawberries, per box..... 10c

We conduct no special sales. We quote only our regular prices which are subject to change without notice in the event of uncontrollable market conditions.

We charge five cents for every delivery if it's a package of crackers or a ten dollar order. It costs you one cent for each charge of a dollar or part thereof.

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Pretty Bath Rugs, made of chenille, washable, at each \$2.50

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**A Large Assortment of Stylish Suits**

**Selling at Almost Half Former Prices!**

And remember, they are this season's best models, elegantly tailored, perfect fitting and in all the very new Spring colors.

**\$16.50 Stylish Coats for \$11.98**

Made from the best of all wool coating fabrics in all the latest colors, every new and popular model and especially good value at this price.

**See Our Pretty Silk Poplin Dresses at \$6.98**

They are prettily made, come in all wanted colors with collar and cuffs of poplin in white, neat and stylish dresses in all colors.

**\$5.98 and \$6.50 Silk Skirt Values at \$4.98**

Made from plain black and fancy satin stripes all silk colored taffetas, high waisted, shirred at belt, with pockets shirred full. A large assortment and every size.

**\$1.25 Waists, a Special at 95c**

Made from voiles and part silk fabrics, white and colors, every size and a great range to choose from.

**\$5 and \$6 Trimmed Hats at \$3.00**

Pretty, becoming shapes in all colors, tastily trimmed, but out they must go in double quick time, that's why they are priced at **\$3.00**

If You Have a Rug to Buy, We Can Show You an Assortment Without a Peer, and Save You from \$3.00 to \$5.00 on a Rug!

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THIS DAY IN ILLINOIS HISTORY.

May 11, 1833—Postoffice established at Hidge Prairie, Madison county, Ill. George Churchill appointed postmaster. This office is situated between Belleville and Edwardsville, on the mail route from Belleville to Alton, Ill., and St. Charles, Mo. The mail is opened Mondays on its way to St. Charles and Wednesdays on its way to Belleville.

WHERE THE CITY HOSPITAL SHINES.

Here is a paragraph from an address on conditions in Germany delivered by James W. Gerard, our former ambassador to that country:

"No one over six years got any milk except with a very strong doctor's certificate. That prohibition on the distribution of milk has resulted in the fact that infant mortality has been decreased because now every infant gets its share of milk, whether it is rich or poor, and at the same time the enormous number of social workers sent out in the great cities, seven thousand having been sent out in Berlin alone, to teach the mothers of the poor how to care for their children has materially increased the welfare and the health of the children of the poor."

Germany, always efficient, gives proof that she knows where her future lies.

As a nation she realizes that only in the right kind of care for her children can come strength and power.

The well being of her future citizens—whether children of the rich or of the poor—depends upon the guard thrown about them now and for the work of tomorrow.

The life of America also lies in the bodies and souls of her children.

Whether this country shall be strong and powerful or weak and impotent depends upon the kind of care we give the children of today.

The Aurora City hospital is one of the greatest agencies for good for children that is to be found in this section.

Since the institution has opened the maternity section has had more than it could do.

In a measure the building was planned with special reference to the care of the babies and their mothers.

A contribution to the hospital at this time means an investment for the good of the city of Aurora in the future.

Too much stress cannot be placed upon the duty of Aurora people to the children.

GO LIGHTLY ON THE NECESSITIES.

The Beacon-News has said from the start that the nation's table should escape taxation as much as possible in the raising of war funds.

Like the income tax, the burden of carrying on the war should be placed upon the shoulders of those best able to bear it. And the Beacon-News does not look upon the average man's table as having broad shoulders.

A slight increase in the per cent of those whose yearly income is more than they can spend even by throwing it away would more than make up for the tax on tea and coffee.

Besides, if we could be sure that the tax of one cent a pound for coffee and two cents a pound for tea would be all there wouldn't be objection.

But the tax of one cent and two cents will be increased by the time it passes thru the hands of the producer, the jobber, the retailer and finally reaches the consumer.

It is so easy to tack on a penny here and a penny there and we have had our experience with food purveyors in this country during the past few months in particular.

The Beacon-News believes that all men, women and children in the United States stand ready and willing to do their bit, but this "bit" should not be contributing further excess to the necessities of life.

ONE WAY TO BE PATRIOTIC.

Once upon a time a great food purveyor was asked how in the world he made so much money selling mustard; that a pot of mustard would last a family a long time.

"Ah," he said, "it isn't what they eat; it's what they leave on their plates."

And that's the solid truth.

The sugar in the bottom of the cup, the coffee grounds thrown out, the tea in the garbage, the butter left to melt, any one of a dozen different little vices of many kitchens has made us a nation of wasters instead of a nation of savers.

Under the stress of war we must learn to economize. It is declared by experts that the money America throws away on its table will more than make up for the interest on the \$7,000,000,000 war appropriation.

Cutting down on unnecessary rationings is, to our way of thinking, no way to economize, but to cut down on extravagant waste is a very splendid way to save money.

STATE BANK REGULATION.

The Beacon-News has said so much in the past few years about the need of effective regulation of certain private banks in Illinois that it would seem superfluous to say more.

Governor Lowden's stirring message to the state legislature upon this subject ought to result in the passage of a proper law immediately.

As the governor points out, this proposition was of South America by way of South Africa.

## EVENING CHIT-CHAT

(By JUTH CAMERON)

The other morning I spent fifteen minutes at the telephone of my own accord in the middle of my working time.

As I left the telephone one of my housemates called out to me.

"You've got to give up all that time from your work you're putting on."

And it was true.

As I went back into my study I reflected grudgingly upon the matter and came to this conclusion.

"Other people's interruption I resent bitterly. My own I am ever ready to forgive."

You see, I refuse to admit that that is a personal peccadillo. I think the average human being has this propensity to feel annoyed at the loss of working time when someone else hinders him to do something and perfectly complacent when he wastes his own time.

"I have known the author to spend hours pleasantly patterning his study and then become righteously indignant and call on the gods to witness that he cannot be expected to get anything done when his wife wants him to move a piece of furniture into the attic."

Why is it?

Well, of course, it's natural to a certain degree.

So that there won't be any mix-up.

If anyone gives me much to do other people's concerns are not of my mind. What would become of him? Someone else might attend to them and then again might not.

I suppose nature gave each of us the instinct to look out for ourselves first so that there wouldn't be any mix-up and each one would get looked out for. I don't mean that to sound quite as selfish as it does. As I said, it is the greatest of all virtues in my mind.

And yet I can understand why we're by nature altruistic.

Moreover it is a law of human nature that anything you do of your own accord is play and anything you do for someone else is work.

The Difference Between Work and Play.

Painting the fence was work to Tom Sawyer, because his father had told him to do it. It was play to the boys whom he consumed a student of character invited into doing it for him because he made them want to do it.

Of course anyone who has these twin gifts, a sense of logic and a sense of humor will laugh at himself when he finds himself resenting other people's interruptions and permitting his own.

And he will also realize that this grudging attitude and will give whatever he can honestly afford to give graciously.

And he will also realize that his mind to be more alert with that worst of all offenders against concentration and accomplishment—himself.

## YOUR HEALTH

(By JOHN B. HUBER, A. M., M. D.)

Health is a choice gift of the gods—Alchiphron.

Feeding From Three Months On.

From the third to the fifth month.

Milk (top 18 oz) 13 oz.

Lime-water 3 oz.

Milk-sugar 3 oz.

Boiled water 13 oz.

Six feedings in 24 hours: five to six ounces at three hour intervals during the day and a feeding at 10 p. m.

From the fifth to the seventh month.

Milk (top 24 oz) 14 oz.

Lime-water 3 oz.

Milk-sugar 3 oz.

Boiled water 14 oz.

Five feedings in 24 hours: four to five ounces at four hour intervals, the last feeding at 10 p. m.

From the eighth to the twelfth month.

Milk (whole) 12 oz.

Lime-water 3 oz.

Milk-sugar 3 oz.

Barley water 10 oz.

Five feedings in 24 hours: eight to nine ounces at four hour intervals, the last feeding at 10 p. m.

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## American Archaeology

(By Frederic J. Haskin)

Washington, D. C., May 8.—The entrance of this country into this war will be a temporary check to the development of American archaeology. Unless this country is invaded, it is quite probable that the most important archaeological work now in progress in New Mexico and Arizona will be carried on, but it is expected that all other sites will be abandoned.

Europe has always been intensely interested in the excavation of its past. The governments of the various countries have sent large expeditions all over the world. England, France and Germany have for years maintained schools of archaeological research at Rome and Athens and the Holy Land, which are still fertile grounds of exploration.

It may be added parenthetically that this study of the past has resulted in the excavation of many spurious articles which have succeeded in deceiving others than Americans. There is a story about a German peasant who was made a baron and knight for his discovery of a primitive type of oven declared to have been used by the early Teutons, after which he proceeded to discover seven of them. The seventh proved too much for contemporary archaeologists, however, who concluded some discovery of their own. They found that the newly created baron had manufactured all the ovens in his own kitchen.

But to return to American archaeology: In the year 1873, a group of men, headed by Charles Eliot Norton, met in Boston and decided that something should be done at once to promote culture in the United States. People, they declared, were money-minded, and culture limited to a very few.

Dr. Norton and his colleagues founded the American Archaeological Institute. It might be expected that the primary purpose of such an institute would be archaeology, but, according to its founder, it was not. "The real object of the Archaeological Institute," he says, "is to strengthen the hands and hearts of those who hold to an America which shall be intellectually and morally, not less great than she is materially. In the foundation of the institute we thought of it as an effort to resist the flood of vulgarity and barbaric luxury brought in by the rapid and enormous increase of wealth then beginning to overwhelm the country. We viewed it as more than an undertaking to dig up the past, but as a means to the condition of prehistoric barbarians. We therefore laid the foundation of the institute that it

might contribute to the higher culture of the country."

Forty-two Societies.

There are now 42 archaeological societies in various cities throughout the country, affiliated under the American Archaeological Institute, which has its headquarters in Washington. Representatives from each society come to Washington to outline an archaeological campaign for the following year. The scope of the institute is very broad. Following the example of England and France, it has established schools of archaeology in Athens, Rome and the Holy Land, which have accomplished praiseworthy results. Unfortunately, the war has interfered with some of the work in these places, and the institute has therefore withdrawn the majority of its explorers to assist in excavating the prehistoric ruins of the southwest and of Guatemala.

The scholarships in these schools of archaeology, as well as the establishments themselves, are maintained partly by the annual dues of members and partly by contributions from American universities and colleges. In addition, the institute has established a lecture course, in which noted lecturers make the circuit of the various societies and speak on subjects of archaeological interest, and it also edits a very excellent magazine called "Art and Archaeology." The latter is included in the institute's membership, which is \$10 a year. The payment of \$100 at one time makes one a life member, while \$500 is the cost of becoming a patron, which is considered quite a distinction.

In 1907, the institute opened a school of archaeology in Saint Paul, Minnesota. It was realized that America, as well as Europe, had a prehistoric art to be uncovered. Since then, constant excavation has been carried on in the southwest and also in Central America, with a view to studying the habits and customs of the ancient peoples which roamed the continent before us.

The ancient civilizations of the Aztecs and Pueblos have been brought to light thru the efforts of American archaeologists, and the rites and rituals of the various Indian tribes, with their legends and legends, have been given to the museums of the world. There were the Aztecs and Aztec tribes, for example, whose excavated relics show them to have been an intelligent and thoughtful people, and to have been in the possession of a high civilization.

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## The Business Career of Peter Flint

A Failure Who Made Good

By HAROLD WHITEHEAD

TODAY'S BUSINESS EPIGRAM.

Infinite attention to details makes for success.

What does this mean to YOU?

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Wasn't I the surprised guy this morning when I was working in the shipping rooms to have "Flint" come to me and say: "Beat it to the class room, you!"

Well, I washed my hands and then took the elevator to the tenth floor where he told me he was located.

When I went inside I found about 20 other people there. Most of them were girls.

One or two other fellows came in after I did and then a Mr. Rivett (a middle-aged man) entered. The girl next to me told me that he was the instructor.

First he called the roll. Then he said: "Your business training begins usually when you leave school. Now Marsh & Felton want trained people to sell for them, so they give you training here and pay you while you get it. They believe you all want to 'make good' and they are willing to take a chance on you. I cannot make you to do so, but it will be up to you to follow out what I teach."

He passed around some sales books, and for an hour we had instructions on how to fill out the slips. When I have seen sales people writing out sales slips, it has never seemed to me there was any need for instruction in that. I got on in a very few minutes. I then tried to see how quick I could make them out and I was right ahead of every one. Then Mr. Rivett asked me to show him what I had been doing. I felt rather pleased with myself until he said, "If you made out sales slips like this you would cost us \$100 a month."

"What's the matter with them?" I asked.

"Look at this writing," said he.

"Well, I am a pretty punk writer, but I could make it out."

"Of course you could, but could the shipper?"

"I never thought of that," I answered.

"Also the address I gave you for this slip was 517 Maple street, and you put 719. Those goods would have gone to 719 and the delivery man would have brought them back again because of the wrong address. Then the customer would have telephoned and quite rightly complained about the poor service. Then you would have sent a man out again to deliver to the right address, besides having to apologize to the customer—just because you were careless."

"Here is another," he said. "I told

you Carlisle avenue, Brighton, and you have put Carlisle street, Brighton. She may live at both Carlisle street and Carlisle avenue, but they are two miles apart."

He showed me three or four other mistakes I had made. He was some finicky old maid. But I went back, and, believe me, I turned out some good work after that.

I will say that he didn't tell any of the others about my mistake, nor did he tell me about theirs. That was pretty decent of him, in spite of the calldown.

There's one remark he made which has stuck to me. He said, "You people will grow in this organization, not so much thru any clever ideas that you have, as thru giving infinite attention to details."

He then dismissed us and told us that we must all be at the class room tomorrow at 10 o'clock promptly.

As Mr. Benton himself was going to be there to say something to us.

Business Questions Answered.

Do you advise a small store pushing advertised brands or private brands? Merchant.

Both. Pushing advertised brands as give you a reasonable margin of profit. People have confidence in advertised brands. They believe (and truly, too) that well-known advertised goods must have merit at the back of them. Consequently such goods are sure to sell and the fact of having them on sale in your store is a very good thing. Everything that you sell in your store. Obviously it must be easier to sell goods which have prestige at the back of them and to which is added your own good will than goods for which you have to create the prestige and good will.

I am working for a publishing house on commission and have a small drawing account. Is that drawing account salary? O. C.

No; that is merely an advance of commissions you have to earn, and is a personal liability of yours which you must liquidate. It is merely a personal loan to you and is to help your living expenses until you begin to do the work.

My practical law company will be set up. I am a lawyer. I have already drawn out a contract for the sale of a piece of land. Is it a loan just the same as if you had borrowed that money from a friend?

My whitened will answer your business questions. Ask your questions clearly and give all the facts. Your contract should be drawn up by a lawyer. It is not a matter of law. Questions of law will be answered in this column. The most interesting questions of law will be answered in this column.

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cluding themselves. They called it Wakonda.

"In their contemplations," says Miss Alice Fletcher, a well-known archaeologist who has done some excellent work in the southwest, "the old men of the Omahas noted that on the earth all plants, all animals, lived in groups, each with its kind; they also discerned that everywhere, dual forces were required for the perpetuation of all living forms. The fructifying rays of the sun, the fructifying rays of the earth, the fructifying rays of the earth, the fructifying rays of the earth, the fructifying rays of the earth



## SUIT FOR \$10,000 AUTO CRASH ECHO

John Bailey Seeks Damages  
From Henry Heitkotter as  
Result of Wreck.

Says Defendant Was Driving Too  
Fast—Five Were Hurt in  
February 18 Collision.

A suit for \$10,000 is an echo of the collision of two automobiles at Main and 36th streets, Feb. 18, 1917. John Bailey, 35, Talma street, is suing Henry Heitkotter and his son, Andrew Heitkotter, of 275 Spring street. Attorney Fred Shearer represents the plaintiff.

The accident happened in the afternoon. Verdicts differ as to the cause. Bailey says Heitkotter was driving fast and ran into the side of his machine. Heitkotter says he was driving at a speed of 12 miles an hour and that Bailey ran into the left front wheel of his machine.

At the time of the accident, five persons were reported injured. Henry Lang, 35 years old, 253 Mountain street; right leg and arm badly bruised. Frank Bailey, 25 years old, 259 Talma street; injuries about face and body. Mrs. Frank Bailey, 33 years old; right leg injured. John Bailey, 67 years old, 259 Talma street; bruised and cut. Mrs. John Bailey, 49 years old; bruised about the body.

Andrew Heitkotter, 25 years old, alone in his machine was not injured. It was reported at the time of the accident.

## \$212 FOR HIS STEERS

J. A. Johnson, formerly of the Keller feed farm near Aurora who now operates a large farm at Davidson, S. D., is in Aurora having come from Dakota with two car loads of steers. Johnson's steers brought \$13.50 per hundred weight on the Chicago market and averaged 1,665 pounds apiece, an average of 215 apiece. Johnson bought the steers at yearlings at October paying \$4.65 a hundred and less than half the selling price.

## Heads of Two Hospital Units Ordered to Front



DR. HART  
Dr. Richard W. Harte, head of U. S. hospital unit No. 10, organized at the University of Pennsylvania and ordered from Washington to prepare Dr. Harvey Cushing, head of base unit No. 8, organized at Harvard

## TWO WOMEN HURT IN AUTOMOBILE CRASH

Mrs. John Blair, 242 South Fourth street, and Mrs. William Rees, 239 Weston avenue, were slightly injured last night at 8:20 o'clock when the Blair automobile was struck by an automobile driven by M. Strong of the New York street road. The accident happened on the LaSalle street crossing of the Burlington railroad. Strong turned his head to look at a freight train approaching from the south and his machine suddenly skidded and collided with the rear end of

the Blair machine. Mrs. Rees and Mrs. Blair who were sitting in the back seat were bruised and shaken up. The freight train was approaching slowly from the west and came to an immediate stop. The two machines would have had plenty of time to get over the crossing before the gates were lowered.

## DUTCHMAN AIDS FRANCE

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.)  
Paris, May 11.—H. W. Deterdie, a Dutchman, has sent Premier Ribot a million francs for the relief of the sufferers in the invaded regions of France.

## AURORA GIRL WRITES POPULAR WAR VERSES

Miss Florence Ostinger of 14 South West street, Aurora, has written the following verses which are being generally copied in the newspapers throughout the state:

From out of the deep and sullen roar  
Comes the call—"To arms! To arms!"  
And the heart of the lad who is  
Listening, answers the dread alarm.

He's a lad who isn't afraid to fight  
When his country's honor's at stake.  
His life is his nation's to use at will  
—his land has a goal to make!

He's our soldier lad!  
He's ready to take his place in the ranks,  
When the order comes  
—to go!

You can hear the thud of the tramp-  
pling feet, he's there, and his  
face is aglow with the light of  
love for his flag that's to lead  
him on to the end of the fight,  
and then,  
With the joy of victory in his heart  
he'll come marching back  
again.

He's our soldier lad.

## BOSTON PREPARING TO WELCOME JOFFRE

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.)  
Boston, Mass., May 11.—Boston appeared to have forgotten everything else today in the eagerness of its preparations for the visit of Marshal Joffre and other members of the French mission.

## IN MUSIC'S REALM

William Given of the Aurora office of the gas company and living at 259 South LaSalle street, has branched out into the realm of music and his first effort is presented to the public in a patriotic song entitled, "To Her Country She Gave a Son." Music of the song is by H. B. Roland and the words by Mr. Given follow:

The shadows of night are falling,  
Darkness has gathered o'er;  
A gray-haired mother is saying  
A prayer for her absent boy.  
In her dreams she feels him clinging,  
When a baby at her breast,  
With her arms around him twining  
In a mother's fond embrace.

Chorus:  
Brave hearts tonight lie bleeding,  
Brave hearts tonight lie still,  
Hearts that were true, no longer  
Somewhere a lonely mother:  
Somewhere a victory won,  
Send up a cheer to mother dear,  
To her country she gave a son.

(2)  
Out on the battlefield are lying,  
Under a foreign sky,  
Brave hearts tonight all are bleeding,  
For their country glad to die,  
'Mid the din of battle raging,  
'Mid the rain of shot and shell,  
There somewhere a mother's darling  
For his country fighting fell.  
Chorus.

## FINED FOR COAL THEFTS

George Erde, who told the police yesterday that he took coal out of the Burlington railroad yards because he did not have any fuel at home to keep his babies warm, was fined \$10 and costs by Police Magistrate Barlow last evening. Evidence was produced by the railroad company to prove that Erde stole more than one ton of coal out of cars in the railroad yards.

## ST. JOSEPH'S HOSPITAL HAS MORNING BLAZE

ELECTRIC IRON SETS FIRE TO  
CLOTH IN INFIRMARY ROOM.

Damage from fire estimated at \$100 was caused this morning at 2:10 o'clock at St. Joseph's hospital from an electric iron which had been left standing on an ironing board with the electricity turned on after an employee had finished ironing, later yesterday. The fire was in the infirmary.

The iron set fire to the cloth on the ironing board, the burning cloth falling to the floor and setting it on fire. When the firemen arrived the place was filled with smoke. The blaze was extinguished with a hand chemical.

Philosophy is that which enables a rich man to say there is no disgrace in being poor.

## FRECKLES

Don't Hide Them With a Veil; Remove Them With the Othine Prescription.

This prescription for the removal of freckles was written by a prominent physician and is usually so successful in removing freckles and giving a clear beautiful complexion that it is sold by any druggist under guarantee to refund the money if it fails.

Don't hide your freckles under a veil; get an ounce of Othine and remove them. Even the first few applications should show a wonderful improvement, some of the lighter freckles vanishing entirely.

Be sure to get the Othine for the double strength Othine; it is this that is sold on the money-back guarantee.

## GERMAN TORPEDO BOAT DAMAGED IN BATTLE

Amsterdam, May 11, via London.—A German torpedo boat was badly hit in the battle between German and British destroyers early yesterday morning, according to the Flushing correspondent of the Telegram. The correspondent says that a very hot battle took place near the North Hinder lightship. Great flames were visible and the firing could be heard in Flushing and elsewhere in Zealand.

## DINNER TO AVIATORS

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.)  
Paris, May 11, 8 a. m.—The Aero Club of France gave a dinner last night in honor of the American aviators at the Grand Hotel.

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.)  
Blount City, Iowa, May 11.—Eric Welf, manager of a local plane company, was taken into custody last night by a deputy United States marshal in connection with alleged utterances against the government. Welf denies the charges.

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Special showing at \$6.85 in white voile, net and embroidered dresses, many different styles in this display. \$6.85

New White Wash Dress Skirts,  
\$1.19, \$1.95 and \$2.95

Of white gabardine, pique and heavy white suitings, with the much-desired shirred back, also pleated models, large pockets, \$1.19, \$1.95 and \$2.95

Summer Weight, Jersey Knit Women's Combination Suits

Low neck, elbow sleeve, ankle length, well finished, pure white. Sizes 36 and 38, suit. \$6.50  
Sizes 40, 42 and 44, suit. \$7.50

Special Price on Ladies' Fine  
Vests at 21c

Fine needle knit, plain or fancy lace trimmed top, low neck, sleeveless. 21c

## May Sale Assortments Offer Splendid Choice in the Season's Most Desirable Styles



Ladies' Handsome Night  
Gowns for \$1.19

Ladies' slip-over gowns, short sleeves, made of white or flesh color, fine nainsook, elaborately trimmed with fine val lace which form a dainty yoke, the sleeves trimmed with same lace as in yoke. Special \$1.19

Ladies' Envelope Chemise  
at \$1.19

Of pink or white sheer mercerized nainsook, daintily trimmed with wash satin and fine val lace, some with embroidered medallion and lace insertion. May Sale price, garment \$1.19



Two Lots of Ladies' Muslin Petticoats, Very  
Reasonable, 69c and 79c Each.

Made of good quality white muslin, have deep embroidery ruffle, special with dust ruffle, size sufficiently full, special for May sale, 79c and 69c

Ladies' Muslin Gowns, Slip-Over or Button  
Front Styles, at 58c

Made with embroidery or lace yokes, get your share of these muslin gowns at this low cost, only 58c each

Wonderful Showing of Corset Covers at  
Each, 25c, 29c, 50c and 58c

A wide variety of stylish new styles, lace or embroidery trimmed, regular and stout figure sizes, at each 25c, 29c, 50c and 58c

Ladies' Muslin Drawers, Per Pair, 29c

Come either open or closed styles, ladies' muslin knickerbocker style drawers, pair. 50c

Ladies' Muslin Knickerbocker Style  
Drawers, Per Pair, 50c



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In the way of grocery values, this means spending the right amount for the right kind of goods. Here you can get the most for your money. Others gauge their values by what we give. In the measure that they are near to our prices so they feel they are giving you values. In the present situation you can't afford to patronize anyone but a leader.

Fancy Strawberries, qt. bx. 15c	Heavy Pack Leaf Lettuce bx 30c	Radishes, bunch 4c	With every \$1.50 order we will give free a handy clothes pin bag. GET ONE.
Apples, per peck 40c		Green Onions, 3 bunches 10c	

Ben Hur Flour, per sack. \$4.00	Oxsul Coffee, 4 pounds \$1, per pound. 30c
Sugar, 11 lbs., with \$1 order, for. \$1.00	Dry Onions, per pound. 8c
Fancy Head Rice, 3 pounds for. 25c	Quart Jar Apple Butter for. 25c
People's Choice Coffee, per pound. 21c	Baby Chick Feed, per 100 pounds. \$3.50
Uncolored Jap Tea, none better, pound. 28c	Scratch Feed, per 100 pounds. \$3.40
Macaroni or Spaghetti, 3 packages. 25c	Clothes Pins, 4 dozen for. 5c
Fancy Dried Peaches, per pound. 12c	Post Toasties, 3 packages. 24c
Uneda Biscuits, pkg. 6c	Oxsul No. 3 Tomatoes, per can. 20c
Oxsul Oleomargarine, lb. 27c	Medium Size Oranges, per dozen. 15c
Black Navy Beans, lb. 12c	New Potatoes, peck. 85c
Flaked Hominy, 8c lb.	Dundee Milk, tall cans. 12 1/2c
2 lbs. 15c	Green String Beans, can. 12c
Bulk Oatmeal, lb. 6c	Swift's Pride Soap, 10 bars for. 38c
Quaker Oatmeal, pkg. 8c	Rub-No-More Soap, 10 bars for. 40c
Quaker Corn Flakes, per package 6c	Export Borax Soap, 10 bars for. 40c
Consumers Corn Flakes, package 5c	Bulk Corn Meal, 5 1/2 pounds for. 25c
Consumers Vegetable or Chicken Soup, can. 10c	Toothpicks, 3 boxes for. 10c
Geranium Plants, each. 12 1/2c	Jello, 3 packages, any flavor, for. 25c
Full Line Cookies, per pound. 15c	NOTE—It would be impossible to go on the market today and buy at these prices.
Our Own Blend Coffee, pound. 23c	
Old Colony Coffee (sole agents), pound. 30c	

WATCH FOR OUR COFFEE SALE NEXT WEEK—WAR TAX IS ON

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Fancy fresh Pork Shoulders, per pound 20c	Fancy No. 1 Steer Round Steak, pound 22c
Fancy fresh Pork Butts, per pound 22c	Fancy No. 1 Steer Porterhouse Steak, lb. 22c
Fancy fresh Spare Ribs, per pound 15c	Fancy home made Hamburger Steak, lb. 17c
Fancy Veal Stew, per pound 12 1/2c	Fancy Home made Pork Sausage, lb. 17c
Fancy Veal Roast, per pound 16c	Fancy Frankfurts and Polish Sausage, lb. 17c
Fancy Veal Legs, per pound 20c	Fancy Liver and Sausage, per pound 16c
Fancy Veal Steak, per pound 22c	Fancy sugar cured Regular and Skinned Hams, per pound 25c
Fancy Veal Chops, per pound 20c	Fancy sugar cured Breakfast Bacon, by strips, per pound 30c
Fancy No. 1 Steer Boiling Beef, pound 14c	Fancy sugar cured Calaf Hams, per pound 23c
Fancy No. 1 Steer Beef Pot Roast, lb. 16c	Fancy Home Rendered Lard, per pound 24c
Fancy No. 1 Steer Boneless Rump Roast, per pound 18c	Fancy Raw Leaf Lard, per pound 23c
Fancy No. 1 Steer Boneless Rib Roast, lb. 23c	
Fancy No. 1 Steer Sirloin Steak, pound 22c	

## Seasonable Footwear of Quality

For Women, Misses and Children



Ladies' and Growing Girls' Slippers  
—Baby Doll style, ankle and two-strap effects, patent leather calf-skin or kidskin, high or low heels, sizes 2 1/2 to 8, pair. \$2.50

Ladies' White Reinskin and Canvas Lace Boots—Low or low heel, plain toe, Goodyear welt and McKay sewed soles, all sizes, price, per pair, \$4.50 to \$2.50 to \$4.50

Ladies' White Canvas Pumps and Two-strap Slippers—Military heel, plain toe, turn soles, per pair \$3.00 and \$2.00

Misses' and Children's Baby Doll, Ankle and Two-strap Slippers—Patent gummatel and kidskin leathers with ribbon bow or ornament on vamp, sizes 1 1/2 to 2 1/2, \$1.85 and \$1.50; sizes 8 1/2 to 11, pair \$1.65 and \$1.25

Ladies' Fine Mercerized  
Finish White Hosiery,  
per pair 35c

These stockings look like silk, rib top, high spliced, White Sale, pair. 35c

## A Good Investment in Mercerized Table Damask, Yard, 65c

The best wearing quality, 72 inches wide, highly satin finish, pure white-table damask, the patterns are rose with satin stripe, dot with handsome Grecian border, chrysanthemum pattern with stripe, carnation and Fleur de Lis patterns. Special 65c per yard

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## Specials for Saturday—Groceries and Meats

SUGAR—Fine granulated, 10 pounds for. \$1.00	BLACK RASPBERRIES or BLACKBERRIES—Farmhouse brand, in heavy syrup, No. 2 size can, for. 20c
APPLE BUTTER—Farmhouse brand, large quart Mason jar, net weight 2 pounds 5 ounces; jar for. 25c	RHUBARB—Fancy home grown, pound. 5c
Our Prices Are Very Low on strawberries, pineapples, head of leaf lettuce, cucumbers, tomatoes, celery, cauliflower, tip radishes, green onions, water cress, spinach, asparagus, new carrots, parsley, green peas, new potatoes.	WAX BEANS—Fancy Illinois, bright yellow, crisp and tender, quart. 12c
COFFEE—Famous Monarch brand, pound 40c, 3 pound can. \$1.00	ORANGES—Fancy California navels, sweet and juicy, dozen 35c
CANNED BEETS—Mooseheart brand, No. 2 size can, contains from 35 to 40 baby beets; 2 cans for. 25c	

## MEATS

OVEN ROASTS—NATIVE STEER BEEF—POUND 24c	Pot roasts, native steer beef, per pound 23c and 21c
Plate beef, native steer, per pound 16c	Corn beef, boneless brisket, per pound 21c
Pork roasts, lean, whole or half loin, per pound 26c	Fresh calf liver, fancy legs of lamb, fresh dressed chickens.

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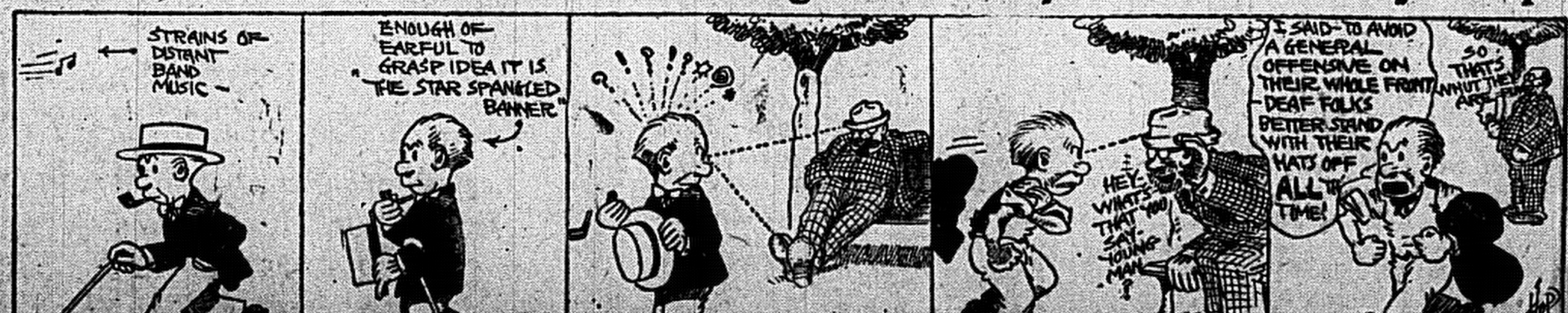
## Children's White Lisle Hose, pair 35c

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## GERMANS LIVING ON TURNIP BREAD

Some Idea of Hardships of War Is Gleaned From Letter to Mrs. J. M. Spiker Here.

Ham at 53 the Pound in Berlin—Only Royalty and War Directors Get Enough to Eat.

Some idea of the hardships that the people of Germany are undergoing as a result of the war is gleaned from a letter received yesterday by Mrs. J. M. Spiker from her sister at Wilkesburg, Pa.

The sister's husband is an employee of the International Harvester company, who has recently got home from Germany. Quoting her words in the letter, he says:

"I walked the streets of Berlin for six weeks and feared I would never get back to America. I almost starved. Another man and I succeeded in buying a small turkey for 100 cash. We sold it a pound for ham. The Germans are making bread out of dried turnips ground up into flour and that is about all they have to live on." The man speaking is one of the high salaried men of the International Harvester company, on account of the censorship, knows the conditions of things in Germany. The royal family and directors of the war are the only ones that have much to eat, he says.

## HOLLWEG ASSURES WORLD OF QUICK GERMAN VICTORY

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.) Amsterdam, May 10.—The Bavarian Staats Zeitung, a semi-official newspaper and the personal organ of Premier Count Hertling, publishes a report of the sitting of the German federal council's committee on foreign affairs, under the presidency of Count Hertling. It says that there was an exchange of opinions in the course of which Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg made a statement in regard to the general situation and the policy to be followed, a characteristic of which was the chancellor's complete confidence in a speedy and successful termination of the war. His statement, the newspaper says, met with the unanimous approval of the federal states.

Beacon-News want ads make realities out of wishes.

## PRINCETON UNIVERSITY FORMS WAR COUNCIL

Princeton, N. J., May 10.—The brains of Princeton's scientific laboratories are being mobilized for service in the present national crisis. The organization will be known as the Princeton research committee and will co-operate with the National Research Council on war problems.

The organization is being perfected by Prof. E. G. Conklin, the biologist. Among the scientists now in Princeton, who are enrolled in the committee are Prof. L. W. McCay, G. A. Hulett, chemistry; Prof. A. Trowbridge, M. MacLaren, E. F. Northrup, physics; Prof. H. N. Russell, astronomy; Prof. H. C. Warren, psychology; Prof. G. van Ingen, geology.

In announcing the organization, the Princeton authorities quote Dr. George E. Hale as stating, "In the face of war every loyal man of science should be willing to drop his private work, wholly or in part, and devote his time and attention to researches on military problems. No one should hesitate because he faces new conditions. His experience as an investigator in any field will serve him well. It should not be forgotten that many of the greatest discoveries have been made by men of science who have come with fresh vision into a new department, where freedom from the hampering effect of habit and tradition has more than compensated for deficiency in special experience."

## ANOTHER ARGENTINE STEAMER TORPEDOED

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.) Buenos Aires, May 10.—Euenos Aires newspapers declare that the government has positive information that the Argentine sailing ship Oriana has been sunk by a German submarine. The papers say that the incident is graver than the sinking of the Monte Protegido and demand that the government act.

It was reported in Buenos Aires April 11 that the Oriana had been sunk by a German submarine off the coast of Brazil. A later report placed the scene of the loss of the ship in the Mediterranean. The Monte Protegido was sunk in April in European waters. The incident caused great excitement in Buenos Aires where popular demonstrations against Germany took place. In response to a note demanding satisfaction, the German government offered reparations and the incident was declared closed.

So many of the great detectives are in the detective stories.

## YEOMAN TO SELL "THE DOLPH" PLACE

Court Enters Order Following Petition of Robert Smith of Yorkville.

The fine house in Galen boulevard near Locust street, known as the "Fred Dolph place" and later owned by the Yeoman, has been ordered sold by the circuit court on a petition filed by Robert Smith of Yorkville. Mr. Smith also asked that a receiver be named for the Yeoman Insurance society in a recent action. The suits have been filed in order that the liquidation committee of the Yeoman may have guidance of the court in paying off Yeoman debts.

## BIG ROCK

Big Rock, Ill., May 11.—Mrs. Melvin Lecher entertained her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Montrose, of Kansas City, Tuesday. They stopped off for a few days on their way home from Washington, D. C.

Messrs. Stafield and Edinburn of Sandwich were in town Tuesday. Edith Lewis is boarding in Aurora since the milk train changed time.

Albert Brooks of Chicago visited the "Shaw and Close" families this week.

Mrs. W. W. Williams and Mrs. Hugh Jones were Aurora shoppers Thursday.

The Farther Light society will hold its May Day social in the Baptist church tonight.

Fred Humiston was struck by T. Otto Fisk's automobile while crossing the street in Aurora, Wednesday afternoon. He suffered a cut in the scalp, but after it was dressed he was able to drive home.

Union services, both morning and evening, Sunday. The Reverend Mr. Morgan will give a Mother's day address in the Congregational church Sunday morning. Christian Endeavor at 8:45 o'clock. Miss Margaret Guy, leader. Evening services at the Baptist church.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Lewis, Mrs. John Willis and children, L. J. Davis, Mrs. E. W. Morgan and Mrs. E. T. Morris were Aurora shoppers Wednesday.

Contributions are still coming in for the Y. M. C. A. army work. Anyone wishing to donate may lend the money to E. T. Morris, secretary of the soliciting committee.

Misses Elizabeth and Nellie Edwards of Kaneville spent Wednesday at the D. W. Lewis home.

## WATERMAN COMPLETES NEW LIGHT SYSTEM

Waterman, Ill., May 11.—Waterman now has its 24-hour electric light system. The men closed the gap at the Hinkley switch Tuesday noon. Some of the houses were connected that afternoon, with meters installed and if fixtures were in they got the first lights in the city. It will only be a matter of a few days until the street lights will be working. What is urged now is boulevard lights for Main street. Shabbona has 25 boulevard lights, costing about \$1,500.00, \$1,000 of which has been donated by the public spirited folk, the city to furnish the electricity. In Hinkley the city pays for the installing of 25 boulevard lights as well as to keep them going. Lights in the park and a band are also being urged.

Mrs. Hart of Shabbona was calling on Waterman friends Wednesday.

Mrs. A. G. Ralph of St. Paul, Minn., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Kate Low, this week.

Ralph Roberts of Sycamore spent Sunday at his home here. He was accompanied by a young friend.

Mrs. Crane, who has been with her sister at Monette, Mo., the past few months, returned to Waterman last Wednesday.

The new Reuben Watson home at Aurora, has been completed. The household goods were sent in by motor truck this week.

The party at David Hippia's home for the Men's class of the M. E. Sunday school was a big success. Everyone had a fine time.

Miss Marion Nelson and Miss Sophia Lamb went to Chicago Wednesday for two days of examinations at the musical college. Miss Lamb will visit relatives there a few days before returning.

It has been requested by the teacher and president of the Chautauk Workers Class of the M. E. Sunday school that every member be present in the class Sunday as a special program has been prepared for that day.

Friends learned from Tuesday's Aurora Beacon-News that George Tierick and Lawrence Whitford have been transferred to the training camp at Douglas, Ariz. There they are working in the Sixth field artillery.

Will Van Dusen, who has been very

## ILL WITH BLOOD POISONING RESULTING FROM AN INJURED HAND, IS MUCH BETTER. THE LAD ACCIDENTALLY CHOPPED OFF TWO FINGERS FROM HIS LEFT HAND IN THE LATE WINTER. THE WOUND HAD NEARLY HEALED WHEN INFECTION GOT IN CAUSING TROUBLE.

Mrs. C. H. Wilkenson went to Mendota Wednesday evening to attend three days' convention of the Twelfth District of the State Federation. She will be the guest of Mrs. Will McMullen while there. The latter's mother, Mrs. Andrews, accompanied Mrs. Wilkenson and will spend the rest of the week with her.

## J. B. FORAKER DIES

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.)

Cincinnati, Ohio, May 10.—Joseph Benson Foraker, former United States senator from Ohio, lawyer, orator, soldier and citizen, died at his home here today, aged 70 years.

Former Senator Foraker had been in poor health since his retirement from the senate in 1906 but it was not until two weeks ago that he was forced to his bed and his condition was not considered critical until last night.

READ BEACON-NEWS WANT ADS

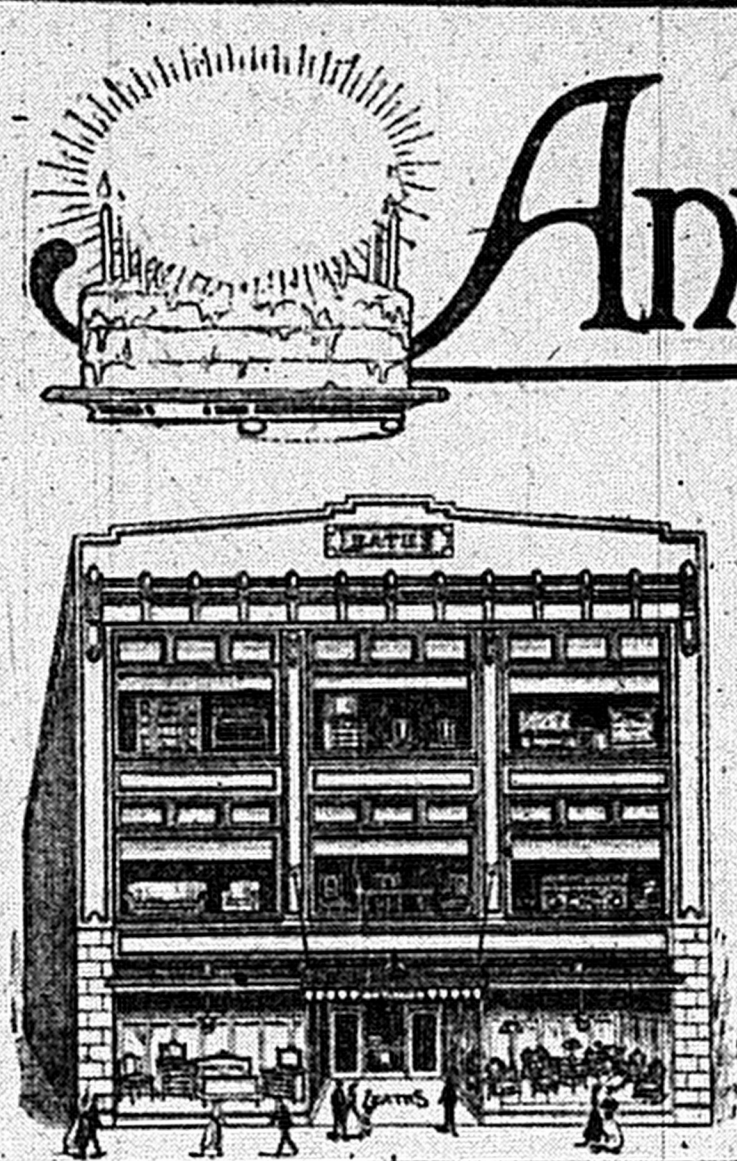
# 2 IN 1 SHOE POLISHES

A "2 in 1 Shoe Polish" is made for every use. For Black Shoes, "2 in 1 Black" (paste) and "2 in 1 Black Combination" (paste and liquid); for White Shoes, "2 in 1 White Cake" (cake) and "2 in 1 White Liquid" (liquid); for Tan Shoes, "2 in 1 Tan" (paste) and "2 in 1 Tan Combination" (paste and liquid).

10c Black-White-Tan 10c F. F. DALLEY CO. of New York, Inc. Buffalo, N. Y.

QUICK—HANDY—LASTING

READ BEACON-NEWS WANT ADS



Our Aurora store, located on the new island, just opposite the Moose building, has been christened by our customers, Store Beautiful. A visit to this magnificent Home Furnishing establishment will be interesting to you at any time.

## A Birthday Sentiment

It gives me great pleasure to look back over two years and recall the opening of our Aurora store. I shall never forget the many thousands of people who greeted us on that day. I can hardly realize the magnitude to which our business has grown since that time.

Aurora claimed our third store—since that time five other large stores have been established, making a total chain of eight, doing a business that runs into hundreds of thousands of dollars. The great success of this store is evidence that we have served our customers faithfully and conscientiously.

Arthur Leath  
President

## Karpen Upholstered Furniture



A beautiful line of the Karpen made Tapestry Upholstered Furniture—a Tapestry Davenport, loose cushions, spring seat, good quality tapestry, an Anniversary Bargain..... \$49.50

## Furniture From the Best Makers at LEATH'S

Over 35 makes of quality furniture are carried at Leath's. You will find on our floors the best designs from the Chicago, Grand Rapids and Jamestown markets, selected by competent buyers. Some of them are:

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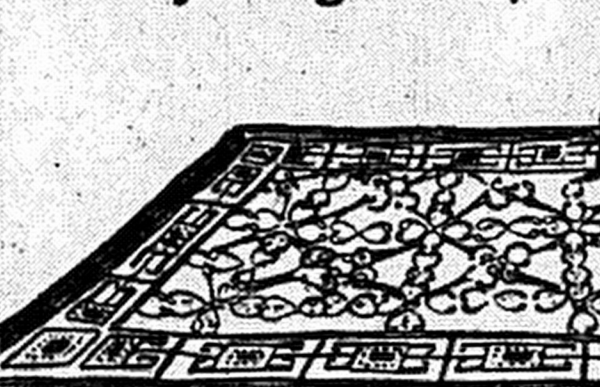
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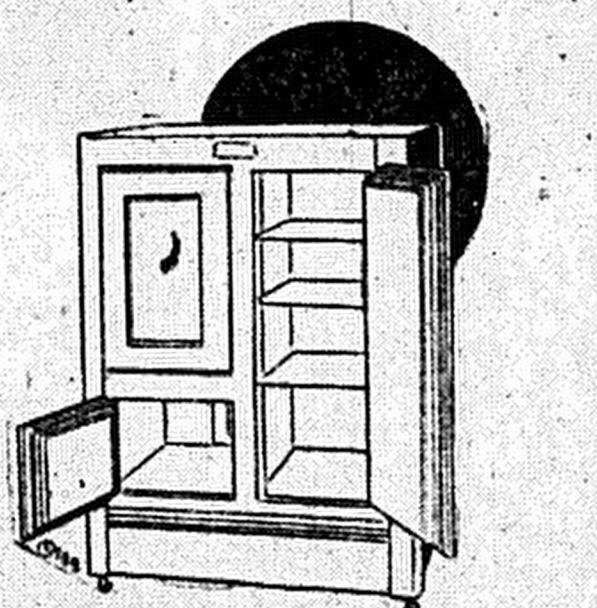


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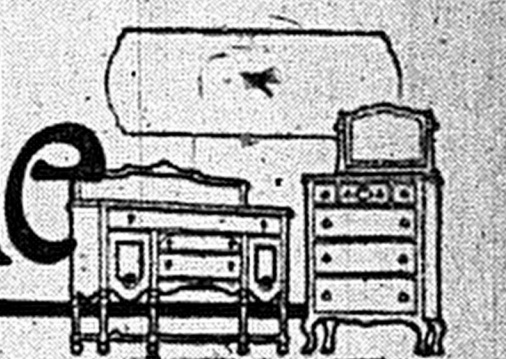
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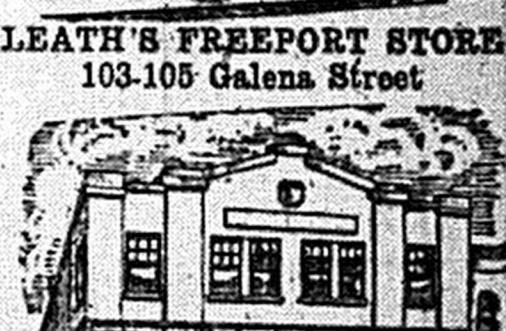
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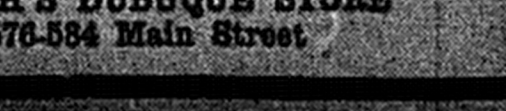
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## House Dress Special

Former Prices \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.25

These dresses are made of rippelette and seersucker in blue, pink and tan, and are products of the "G. W. Eade" factory, which assures you that the quality and workmanship are of the very best. Just the thing for the warm days that are sure to come. Remember we are manufacturers, that's how this price is possible.

## Remarkable Children's Dresses

Odds and Ends of 59c and 69c Gingham and Percale Dresses

Sizes 2 years to 14 years. About 200 dresses in this lot, some soiled, others discontinued patterns. Many wise buyers will select a half dozen of these dresses for future needs while they may be had at so low a price.

## ARE YOU LUCKY?

In order to acquaint more people with the money saving possibilities of our Bargain Basement, we have picked at random merchandise to the retail value of 30c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00, and wrapped them in boxes to be sold at 19c each. There is a limited amount and only one to a customer. You are sure to get 30c worth and maybe more, if you are lucky. Get one of those surprise packages for

## BIG REDUCTIONS ON ALL COATS, SUITS AND DRESSES

New Factory Remnants at 2c, 3c, 4c, 5c and up

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## SLAV SOCIALISTS READY TO END WAR

**Soldier and Workmen Council Moves to Join in Peace Council in Stockholm.**

German Socialists Deny Danish Leader Has Been Sent to Petrograd to Talk Terms.

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.) Petrograd, May 11.—Twelve members of the council of soldiers and workmen's delegates, including the president, have gone to Stockholm to cope with the situation created by the district committee in declaring itself an autonomous unit.

Skobloff, who moved the report of the executive committee of the council concerning the proposed socialist conference at Stockholm, said that for the sake of restoring the international and stopping the war he was willing to meet not only Scheidemann but the devil and his grandchild.

No New Peace News.

Copenhagen, May 11, via London.—The German newspapers this morning publish no news of the peace

errand of the Danish socialist, Borgberg, to Petrograd, or the nature of the peace terms alleged to have been transmitted to Germany. Even the Berlin Vorwaerts makes no mention of the mission although Borgberg claims to be acting as the spokesman of the German socialists.

**Deny Peace Move.**  
Berlin, May 11, via London.—Socialists here disclaim knowledge of any authorization or instruction to the Danish socialist Borgberg to carry peace proposals to the Russian socialists. They explain his action in outlining the terms as constituting a voluntary interpretation on his part of the socialist peace program, already freely announced.

The Berlin foreign office is uncommunicative on the subject and has taken no official cognizance of Borgberg's action.

### ENGLISH IN AIR RAID

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.) Amsterdam, via London, May 10.—English airplanes bombed Zebruggen early this morning. At the same time a flotilla of torpedo boats was observed from Flushing bombarding the Belgian coast.

The torpedo boat action referred to in the foregoing dispatch presumably is identical with the destroyer engagement reported yesterday by the British admiralty.

## BIG ROCK

Big Rock, Ill., May 10.—Mr. and Mrs. James Washington, Jr., have come to the home of the Reverend Mr. and Mrs. Howard to spend some time with them, and to see their new grandson, Kellon, who was born May 10.

Mr. George visited friends at Joliet over Sunday.

George Hansen and family are riding in a new automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Davis and Miss Bertha Davis spent Monday in Aurora.

Edward Phillips of Aurora is at his farm, hoping with corn planting.

Mr. George Wildin and Mrs. Charles Wildin spent Monday at Aurora.

Mr. Anne Fiedel entertained the Royal Neighbors Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. George Tucker of Berwyn will visit his daughter, Mrs. Thomas, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Murphy of Aurora visited his sister, Mrs. Thirza Hilar, Tuesday.

The Rev. Walter Huford has received a call to the Baptist church at Sycamore.

Mr. and Mrs. James spent a few days at the home of his daughter at Wilmington.

Mr. John Wilcox of Rochelle came Tuesday and is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Walter Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. of Aurora was here Tuesday night at the home of H. Seavey, his horse being very sick.

Mr. Edward Roberts returned Wednesday from Louisiana where he spent the winter with friends.

Miss Myrtle Waterman was a delegate to the Sunday school conference at Elgin and attended each session.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Jager and Ruth and Margie Jager called on Mrs. Clyde Snow at Plano Saturday evening.

## MONTGOMERY

Montgomery, Ill., May 11.—Mr. and Mrs. George Newman and mother, Mrs. Fanny Pearce, have been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Pearce at Wheaton.

John Laner has purchased a new automobile.

Henry Pickert took a day off and went fishing Wednesday.

Mrs. T. M. Nelson was among the Aurora shoppers Wednesday.

Mrs. Nordstrom attended the funeral of a niece at Joliet Wednesday.

Juliana and Stephen Smutzer are in quarantine with scarlet fever.

Miss Hazel Jones entertained Miss Mabel Must of Aurora over Sunday.

Herbert Foster was installed in his new office as police magistrate Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ellis of Plano spent a few days last week with friends here.

Master Dwight Foster is spending the week with his grandmother Foster at Morris.

Mr. Dunham was out from Chicago Sunday, and spent the day at the M. J. Meade home.

The pupils of our school will take part in the memorial exercises at the Fox theater in Aurora, May 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Perkins and children were down from the Base Line Sunday at E. C. Vaughan's.

Mrs. Zack Taylor has gone to Portland, Ore., to see her aged mother.

Mr. Mrs. Lowther, who is very ill. The Reverend Mr. Godwin of Evanston spent Sunday night as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Keok. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Keok are spending the week with their daughter, Mrs. E. B. Wiley, and family, on the Jericho road.


Sunday is Mother's day at the church and everybody should attend the services and wear a white flower in honor of the occasion.

Miss Virgie Delaney and cousin have returned to their home at Peoria after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Delaney.

The Royal Neighbors had a social

time after business Wednesday night. In the picture matching contest, Mrs. William Milgala won first honor and Mrs. VanVlack, second. A fine lunch was served by the committee, Mesdames Healy and Nelson.

**Heads State Jewelers.**  
(By Associated Press Leased Wire.) Chicago, May 11.—B. J. Hagaman of Chicago has been elected president of the Illinois Jewelers' association.



**Senreco**  
The double-service tooth paste, keeps teeth clean AND GUMS HEALTHY.

Keeping the gums healthy and the mouth sweet is very important to health; more teeth are lost through the loosening of the tissue that holds the teeth in place than from decay.

Dental science to-day demands that a tooth paste must keep the gums healthy as well as clean the teeth.


Senreco was formulated to meet this requirement. Hundreds of dentists are prescribing and using Senreco because they have found that it does measure up to that standard.

**SENRECO IS A WONDERFUL CLEANSER.**

In addition to its remedial properties Senreco is a wonderful cleanser; acts directly on the mucin film, the basis of tartar; leaves the mouth cool and clean-feeling. As some one has expressed it—Senreco gives one a new idea on mouth cleanliness.

Get a tube to-day at your druggists or toilet counter—enjoy the healthy, cleanly feeling its use gives your mouth and gums. Notice how brilliantly white Senreco makes your teeth. It performs this two-fold service for you and yet costs no more than the ordinary, old-fashioned tooth paste that simply cleans the teeth and leaves a pleasant taste—25 cents for a large 2 ounce tube.

**YOU CAN GROW TOMATOES LIKE THESE**



Have them a month earlier and a month later than your neighbor by following the MY instructions for forcing, pruning and staking and by the use of FERTILIZER—BEAT-ALL PLANT FOOD—A TOMATO SUPPORTS. The result of 10 years' experience in fruit and vegetable gardening. Usual crop may be more than doubled in quantity and quality. Start right and avoid disappointment. You need this information early. A 2c stamp will bring illustrated literature. Or send 25c for book which will apply on future orders. Book free with all supplies.

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The exclusive home remedy for the prevention and cure of Pyorrhea, soft, sore and bleeding gums. It is positively a cure in the first and second stages. At your druggist or will be sent prepaid on receipt of \$1.00.

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**AFTER YOU HAVE TRADED \$1.00 WORTH OR MORE**  
You can buy 40c 2 1/4 yards wide SHEETING 5 yards for

**\$1.39**  
All day

**Notice This Special**

During this sale regular 50c Ladies' Embroidery Trimmed Muslin Drawers, 2 for..... 50c

**Big Specials**  
IN LADIES' KNITTED UNDERWEAR FOR SUMMER

35c Union Suits	15c Vests	\$1.00 Union Suits
25c	10c	69c



**Muslin Underwear Specials**

75c Ladies' Gowns	58c
85c Ladies' Skirts	58c
\$1.00 Ladies' Gowns	75c
\$1.50 Crepe Underskirts, white	\$1.25
35c Corset Covers, fine quality	25c
\$2 Cambric Underskirts	\$1.49



**Stout Ladies' Wool Skirts**

Five New Styles for This Sale



**Just Think**  
A Coat like this, all colors, \$18.50 value..... \$12.50



**Dresses**  
\$16.50 Silk Dresses..... \$12.50  
\$10.00 Serge Dresses..... \$7.49  
Our \$13.50 Silk, size 36 to 48, Poplin Dress, Sale Price..... \$9.95

**Stout Ladies' Muslin Underwear, Gowns, Drawers, Princess Slips and Skirts**

**Silk and Serge Dresses**  
One Big Lot \$8, \$10, \$12.50 Values Mostly Last Year's Styles, All Sizes **\$3.95**

**Black Taffeta Silk**  
1 yard wide, fine quality, \$1.35 value, limited 6 yards, per yard **\$1.12**

**JOSEPH SIERP**  
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**Cold Backward Spring** THIS IS WHY YOU ARE GETTING THESE BIG BARGAINS FROM NOW ON.  
**Hundreds of New Spring Coats, Suits, Skirts and Dresses**  
**Going Now at Almost Half of the EARLY SPRING Prices**  
**RIGHT NOW** WHEN YOU NEED THE GARMENTS. SPRING IS JUST STARTING AND JUST THINK WHAT YOU WILL HAVE TO PAY NEXT SPRING IF THIS WAR KEEPS UP.

**The Big Manufacturers that Overloaded, as They Expected an Early Hot Spring, They are the Ones That are Taking These Big Losses.**  
**It's Their Money You're Going to Get** WHEN YOU COME TO OUR STORE TO BUY NEW SPRING GARMENTS, COATS, SUITS, SKIRTS AND DRESSES.

**Why Can We Do This?** BECAUSE OUR EARLY LARGE SPRING PURCHASES OF SUMMER GOODS AND GARMENTS AT REASONABLE PRICES WERE QUICKLY CLOSED OUT.  
**Now We Are in a Position** TO BE ABLE TO TAKE THESE LARGE LUCKY PURCHASES FROM MANUFACTURERS FOR OUR CUSTOMERS IN AURORA AND SURROUNDING TOWNS.  
**This Is Why We Are Selling** FROM 50 TO 75 GARMENTS EVERY SATURDAY AND 25 TO 40 EVERY DAY THROUGH THE WEEK.  
**And Notice** THIS CAREFULLY, EVERY GARMENT IN OUR STOCK IS CARRYING A GUARANTEE LABEL SHOWING THAT EVERY GARMENT IS MADE BY THE VERY BEST MAKERS IN THE MARKET.

**Now to Prove This All Come to Our Store** AND SEE FOR YOURSELF THAT WE ARE THE STORE OF AURORA  
**SELLING THE READY-TO-WEAR GARMENTS.**

**And Every Garment in Stock** IS OF THE NEWEST STYLE, COLOR AND CLOTH. AMERICAN WOOLEN POPLINS, VELOURS, MANNISH SERGES, FANCY CHECKS, STRIPES, PLAIDS, JERSEY CLOTH, ETC.,  
**IN ALL THE LATEST SPRING SHADES, GREEN GOLD, MAGENTA, ROSE, WINE, KELLY, NAVY, BLACK, ETC., IN SIZES FOR MISSES AND WOMEN, 16 TO 52 IN THE PALMER SPECIALS.**

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<b>\$10 Ladies' and Misses' Coats</b>	<b>\$4.95</b>	<b>\$12.50</b>	<b>Ladies' and Misses' Coats</b>	<b>\$8.95</b>
<b>COATS</b>	<b>LADIES' AND MISSES'</b>	<b>Children's Spring Coats</b>	<b>SUITS</b>	<b>LADIES' AND MISSES'</b>
\$15.00 Values .. \$9.95	\$10.00 Silk .. \$4.95	\$15.00 Suits .. \$9.95	\$18.00 Suits .. \$12.50	
\$18.50 Values .. \$12.50	\$5.00 Serges .. \$3.95	\$23.50 Suits .. \$16.50	\$25.00 Suits .. \$18.50	
\$25.00 Values .. \$16.50	\$4.00 Serges .. \$2.95			

**Gingham DRESSES**  
Children's  
Plaids and Plain Colors.  
6 to 14 size, \$1 val., 69c  
6 to 14 size, \$1.50 val., \$1  
2 to 8 size, 75c val., 49c



**Remember Shirt Waists**  
LADIES THE VALUE FERN \$1.50  
Are Far Different Than the Ordinary \$1 Waists Sold in Most All Stores.

**Two New Styles Every Week**  
Beautiful White Organdies, Rice Voiles, Plain Voiles, Polka Dots and All-Over Organdies and Rico Voiles, Laces and Silks.

**And All \$1.50 Values for - - \$1.00**

**Spring COATS**  
\$2.00 Stout ..... \$1.49  
\$1.69 Medium ..... \$1.25  
\$1.35 Medium ..... \$1.00  
75c Bungalow Aprons 45c

**Spring Coats, Ladies' and Misses'**  
One Big Lot, all colors, Mostly Last Year's Styles \$8, \$10, \$12, **\$3.95**

**MIDDIE BLOUSES**

With big sport collars, stripe and polka dots  
\$1.50 value, all sizes ..... **\$1.00**  
75c Children's for ..... **50c**



**Just Think**  
A suit like this, all colors, \$25.00 value for **\$18.50** only



**Silk Skirts**  
\$10.00 Value ..... \$8.50  
\$8.50 value ..... \$6.50  
\$8.00 value ..... \$6.00  
Plaid and plain colors

**Boys' Stockings**  
Regular 25c grade, 50c  
all sizes, 3 pairs for

**NOTICE THIS SPECIAL**

30c Linen finish pillow tubing, 45-inch, fine quality, 4 yards for only ..... **69c**

**Children's White DRESSES**

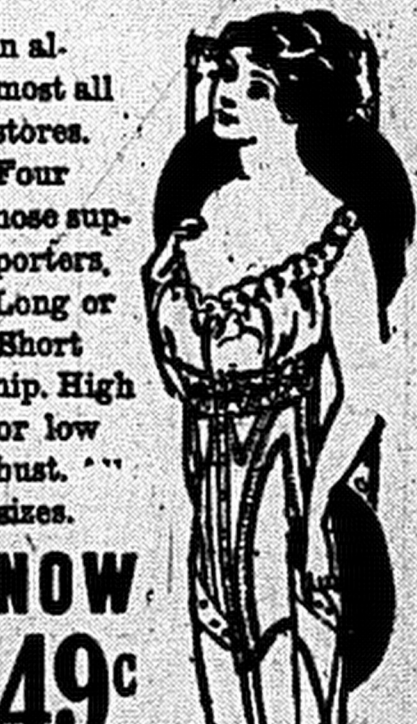
6 to 14 year olds, \$1.39, \$1.95, \$2.50 and \$3.95. Sizes 2 to 6, 35c, 69c, 85c and \$1.00.



**Black Cat HOSIERY**

For the whole family.  
25c ladies' hose, black or white, for **19c**  
25c children's hose, black or white, for **18c**  
35c Ladies' Sizes, white **30c**  
35c Out Sizes, white **25c**

**Corsets \$1 Value**



**NOW 49c**

**A WORD** to all of our old and new customers. Just to appreciate our big values and money-saving on every article—Cost, Suit, Skirt or Dress—if you wish, just shop around a little, then come here and see how quickly you can be pleased with a \$5.00 to \$8.00 saving on every garment.

**BARGAIN BASEMENT SPECIALS**

40c Boys' Waists	50c Boys' Waists	18c Children's Drawers, 2 for	35c Children's Muslin Gowns	50c Gingham Underskirt	75c Shirt Waists	SILK FIBRE HOSIERY	\$7.50 SILK POPLIN SKIRTS
29c	39c	25c	25c	39c	58c	50c quality, seconds, all sizes, white for ..... 19c	Ladies' and Misses', all colors ..... <b>\$4.95</b>



## FRAZIER OPPOSES NEW GYMNASIUM

Takes Issue With Mrs. Detweller, Who Advocated West High Improvement.

Aurora, Ill., May 10, 1917.  
Editor Beacon-News—

Just a few words from a mere member of the board of education who believes it to be unwise to discuss our school affairs in a haphazard spirit or in one of selfishness, and that they should be considered with a sober judgment which assumes that the essentials of wise school management are the same as those of other human institutions, amenable to the same law of economics.

I yield to no one in desire to see our schools supplied with skillful teachers, and every form of equipment, facility and method which will help to make better citizens of our boys and girls—but our desires, unadorned, may outrun our prudence and wisdom. As sensible people, it behooves us members of the board of education to weigh carefully the importance of the facilities or luxuries we would have, and to consider whether or not we can afford them.

See Wish for Conservation.  
I take it that most parents and taxpayers expect the members of the board to exercise the same prudence and conservatism in the management of the schools that they do with their own affairs, and to see to it that public money is neither wasted nor spent in extravagances as measured by the resources of the district. The catch phrase, "Nothing is too good for our schools," sometimes leads the judgment astray, and it ought to be amended to read, "Nothing which is of educational value and can be afforded is too good for our schools."

No one takes more interest in general education than I do—I have done my full share in furnishing a practice field for the football and baseball teams—and I am in favor of building a combined gymnasium and assembly hall or auditorium, when we can afford it. That we cannot afford it now must seem clear to most people, when the status of our finances is understood. The whole subject of what can be afforded and what must be held in abeyance should, in my opinion be viewed from the standpoint of the average taxpayer who, in these times of record-breaking taxes, is endeavoring to raise a creditable family and get ahead a little in the world.

Bonded Indebtedness.  
At present our bonded indebtedness is \$98,000 and the bonds recently voted for the high school and auditorium will raise this amount to \$145,000. Under the law we cannot issue bonds in excess of 5 per cent of the assessed value of the property of the district, which is approximately \$2,500,000. In my opinion a combined gymnasium and auditorium, as planned cannot be built for less than \$100,000, and land which would have to be purchased for it will probably cost \$15,000. That bonds in the amount needed cannot now be legally issued is apparent; but even if we could squeeze within our legal limit, it would be wise to attempt to prudently discuss the issue, keep our bond issuing activity well within the limit at all times, as an emergency precaution. It will not be many years before another grade building will be required—and there is always the possibility of loss by fire. Within my recollection the Oak street and the South Lake street schools have been burned down, and the Oak street again severely damaged by fire. As is well known, the insurance on a building never covers the loss in case of fire, and if we should be visited by a fire, it would in all probability be necessary to resort to a bond issue in order to restore the property.

Now as to the proposition to increase the direct tax sufficiently to provide funds for the construction of the gymnasium. The school tax is already fairly high. Being nearly one-half of the total tax (\$2.24 for all other than school purposes—\$2.61 for schools), and an increase seems to me to be unwise at this time.

Takes Issue With Mrs. Detweller.  
In a recent issue of your paper, another member of the board of education, Mrs. Detweller, in a plea for the construction of the gymnasium-auditorium now, stated that an increase in taxes of only five cents on a thousand would yield \$20,000. I don't like to be discouraging, but according to my understanding the yield from such an increase would be \$180, instead of \$20,000, which would probably prove to be somewhat inadequate for the purpose. In order to produce by direct tax the \$45,000 extra needed for building purposes, the tax levy would have to be increased approximately 46 per cent, which would carry us far beyond the limit imposed by law or per cent of the assessed value of the property.

## Sturgis' Store

No. 6 South LaSalle Street

For Sat., May 12, '17

Brown Navy Beans,	25c
3 pounds for	
Fancy New York state	60c
Apples, 1 gal. can	
2 1-lb. packages Sun-Maid	25c
Raisins	
Washington Corn Flakes,	25c
2 for	
10 bars Borax Soap	45c
for	
20c can Baked Beans	15c
for	
Extra special Santos Coffee	20c
for	
2 10c Bread	25c
for	
Oranges, per dozen	40c
20, 30, 50 and	
Butterine	27c
per pound	

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property in the district, and the levy would be void.  
In five years more the bonds issued for the construction of the present high school building (now \$25,000) will all have been retired, and if no such emergency as has been referred to has occurred during the period, we may then be able to proceed with the gymnasium-auditorium.  
In the meantime we will get along cheerfully without the things we cannot afford, as well balanced people always do.

W. S. FRAZIER.

## INTHE COURTS

Circuit Court.

Current Docket Entries.

Margaret Mitchell vs. J. P. Williams; case.

Rams vs. Charles R. Hassett; same.

Carl L. Price vs. Stanley Price et al.; bill for partition.

Treasure case suppressed.

Probate Court.

John W. King est.; probate of will set for May 29.

James Halpin est.; same for Jura S. Mary E. Salsbury est.; same.

John C. Calkins est.; same.

Sarah A. Kraft est.; same.

Mary Ashby est.; same; deeding issued.

Frances M. Atkins est.; letters testamentary issued to Alonzo C. Ray; bond, \$1,500; August for claims.

John F. W. Lonsau est.; probate of will and heirship; letters issued to Maria Lonsau; bond \$200; August for claims.

Harriet A. Geer est.; probate of heirship; letters issued to N. E. Sogitz; July for claims.

Louis Lingenheim est.; probate of will; Aurora hospital allowed \$4.

Clara Peterson est.; probate of will; inventory and final report approved.

Frank C. Mail est.; probate of will and heirship; letters issued to Clara Mail; bond \$2,000; August for claims.

Henrietta Newbauer est.; probate of heirship; letters issued to Mary Johnston; bond \$100; July for claims.

Arthur and Howard Baumgartner; letters of guardianship, issued to Elgin City Banking company.

Suals S. Norton est.; letters testamentary issued to Herbert Norton; bond \$200; July for claims.

Rosell S. Brown est.; letters testamentary issued to Carolyn L. Brown; bond \$200; July for claims.

George E. Beckwith est.; letters testamentary issued to Carrie D. Beckwith; bond \$500; August for claims.

Barney Kearns est.; probate of heirship; letters issued to Anna Kearns; bond \$100; August for claims.

Justina C. Primini; restated, to rights; conservator discharged.

Wilder H. Roberts est.; inventory, appraisal and award approved.

Robert Landmark est.; same.

Emilie Anders est.; probate of will; inventory approved.

James M. Fitchie est.; inventory approved.

Leonard Mielke est.; final report approved.

Frederick Peterson est.; same.

Anson D. Caabb est.; same.

Sarah J. Eddowes est.; citation returnable May 22.

Mary Saloner est.; report of sale of personal property approved.

Clarence J. Johnson est.; report of sale of real estate approved.

Andrew Magnuson est.; decree for sale of real estate.

Gustav C. Schiebel est.; same.

Theresa Gering, minor; inventory approved.

Samuel Holmquist est.; petition of surety company for discharge.

Nancy J. M. Lowry est.; continued.

Bridget J. Bendall; same.

Christ Borg est.; transcript of circuit court order filed; report of administration to collect approved.

Proof of heirship; August for claims.

Aurora Cemetery company allowed \$10; P. G. Hartz, \$10.75; G. E. McDonald, \$22; J. T. Downs, \$267.23; George W. Haan, \$100.60.

Mrs. L. M. Austin est.; M. Simons allowed \$2.17; J. B. Brown, \$78.80.

C. P. Dutton est.; First National bank allowed \$125.69.

Elizabeth Swanson est.; G. M. Croushorn allowed \$125.

Magdalena Seidelman est.; G. E. Parker allowed \$25.

Robert Evans est.; C. E. Colwell allowed \$64.25; W. H. & A. N. Healy, \$117.25.

## GERMANS DRAFTING BELGIANS INTO ARMY

(By Associated Press—Leased Wire.)

Copenhagen, May 10, via London.

A representative of the German war department has admitted to the reichstag that a number of Belgian subjects resident in Cologne were drafted into the German army.

In spite of their protests that they were veterans of the Belgian army, the admission was made in answer to an interpolation by a radical socialist deputy. The war department official promised that the question of citizenship in these cases would be reviewed.

How to Clean Your Automobile

An Easy Matter to Preserve the Beauty of the Body Finish

The following instructions are being sent out to owners by a number of leading motor car manufacturers:

"By giving the body of your car simple care you can keep it looking like new for several seasons, avoiding the cost of repainting and greatly enhancing its second-hand value."

"Tobey Polish, made from the old secret shop formula of The Tobey Furniture Company, (Chicago, & New York), is a perfect preparation for cleaning and maintaining the fine body surfaces of our cars. It cleanses, thoroughly and quickly; removes lousy appearance; obscures small scratches; preserves the body and color of the varnish. It wipes off dry without hard rubbing and does not collect the dust. It makes washing unnecessary, except to remove mud and grit."

"The time to begin is when your car is new; don't wait until the finish goes dead and then try to restore it."

You can obtain Tobey Polish from your own supply dealer, or any store where high quality polishes are sold, in 25c, 50c and \$1 sizes.

## N. Y. Society Girl Becomes Bride of An Englishman



Mrs. GEORGE ST. GEORGE.

Mrs. George St. George, formerly Miss Katherine D. Price Collier of London, New York, one of the best known young society women of the metropolis, who has become the bride of George Baker St. George of London, England. The wedding took place at Tuxedo, New York.

## FOX

Fox, Ill., May 9.—Mrs. T. Paulson and Miss Florence of Chicago spent a few days at Norman Paulson's and Mr. and Mrs. W. Ingles. Mr. Paulson came out and spent the weekend.

Misses Nora and Sarah Anderson and Ethel Tripp spent Friday in Aurora.

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Mr. and Mrs. Louis Thurow spent Sunday at Albert Jandt's near Westman.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Thurow and Kenneth spent Sunday at Walter Niles' near Plano.

Mrs. Fred Thurow and Forest from near Millbrook spent Sunday with Mrs. H. W. Curren.

The Rev. C. J. Lange and family from southern Kendall spent Thursday evening at Louis Thurow's.

Mrs. B. B. Larson of Millbrook spent one day the latter part of the week with Mrs. Katherine Anderson.

Misses Mabel Klotz and Hildred Stahl from north of Sandwich spent the week-end with the Misses Laura

and Clara Thurow.

Mrs. Seth Slesser and Miss Lucile of Yorkville took dinner with Mrs. Alina Havenhill and Grandma Crum Saturday.

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## SANDWICH ORGANIZES RED CROSS AUXILIARY

Sandwich, Ill., May 11.—A Red Cross auxiliary was organized Monday afternoon at the city hall where a large number of women met to learn of the work. Mrs. Groom and Miss Aldrich of Aurora gave valuable information. Mrs. Minnie Houston was chosen president, Mrs. J. H. Castle first vice president, Mrs. W. E. Kern second vice president, Mrs. Anna Carroll third vice president, Mrs. Adelaide Flynn secretary, and Mrs. John White treasurer. An advisory board was also elected. An all day meeting is planned for Wednesday, May 16, in the basement of the Presbyterian church. Picnic luncheon will be served at noon. Dr. Arthur Lord of Plano will speak in the afternoon, and men and women are urged to be present.

Mrs. Hillman Estep is very ill with pneumonia at her home.

Mrs. Oscar Vermilye will entertain the Quilt Laid society Thursday.

Mrs. A. D. Shales is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Will Thompson, in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Allen have returned from California, where they spent the winter.

Mrs. William Hickok was called to Mionk to assist in caring for her grandchildren, who are ill.

Mrs. Alice Burr and children are on their way to Zephyr Hills, Fla., to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Scott.

Margaret Prescott Faxon will give a reading at the home of Mrs. Charles Jones Monday, May 14, at 2:30 p. m.

Al Shepherd of Chicago was here Monday to attend the stockholders' meeting of the Sandwich Manufacturing company.

Dr. J. M. Lewis and wife and Miss Pauline Newton are attending a state meeting of the Congregationalists at Galesburg this week.

The contract for paving the north side business streets was let Tuesday to Pronger & Fletcher, who will begin work within a few weeks.

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## USE MORE CORN MEAL IN THE DAILY DIET

This One Important Way of Reducing Cost of Living, Says U. S. Farm Bulletin.

New Cooking About Half as Much as Wheat Flour—Many Appetizing Dishes.

Washington, D. C., May 4. — One way to reduce the cost of food for the family, say the specialists of the United States department of agriculture, is to use more corn meal, where this is low in price as compared with other cereals. Corn meal at the present prices, when bought at retail stores, costs about half as much per pound as wheat flour, one-third as much as rolled oats, one-fourth as much as rolled wheat, and about half as much as broken rice. That is, it costs much less, per pound than any other popular cereal foods, yet even the bolted corn meal usually sold, from which the germ of the grain has been removed to make the meal keep longer, has a food value which compares favorably with that of wheat flour. It does not supply quite so much protein or mineral matter for building the tissues of the body, but, on the other hand, it gives more fat and starch, pound for pound, and its value as fuel for the body is fully as high.

The old-fashioned unbolted corn meal made from the whole grain, which can often be obtained by the farmer who will take his grain to mill, and can often be purchased in ships and markets, contains more of the tissue-building material and has what many consider even a better flavor than the bolted meal, and is much liked for making the forms of corn bread.

Can Be Ground at Home.

Any family, in town or country, can have the best of corn meal by grinding it at home in a hand grist mill. The city man can buy corn of the bushel at a grain store. He can grind it coarse or fine, to suit the taste of the family, and in quantities to last a day or a week, or longer. Most people will agree that this meal containing the germ is very palatable and compares well in this respect with that ordinarily purchased ready ground. Prices of hand mills of substantial make run from \$2.50 to \$6. A small mill can be had for as little as \$1.50, this probably would prove too tedious to use, except for small quantities.

Whether obtained at the retail store, brought from a mill, or ground at home, corn meal can be used in several ways to give inexpensive variety to the diet. A dish of mush and milk has made the greater part of many a supper on the farm, and children thrive on it, so they may rebel at cleaning the kettle and the "pudding spoon" afterward, if the old time methods of cooking it are followed. It is a simple dish to make—just three and one-half cups of water and a teaspoon of salt to every cup of meal.

The water can be put in a bowl and the meal heated gradually. A double boiler is very convenient in cooking corn meal mush, as well as all other cereals, and is easier to clean. The great secret of good mush is long slow cooking—the longer the better. A fireless cooker, in which the cooking can go on all day or all night, is very useful for this purpose.

Quick Breakfast Eggs. For "quick action" in getting breakfast in the city, the corn meal and egg may be put in the double boiler, mixed with a little cold water, and then hot water may be added up to the required amount. If clean hot water is to be had from the spigot, a good corn meal mush can be made in three-quarters of an hour. But corn meal can hardly be cooked properly in less time.

Corn meal mush can be used in many other ways besides a breakfast or supper dish. For a mush, mush with fruit, and mush with cheese, are in the list of recipes. Fish cakes with corn meal are good and corn meal and meat of different kinds can be cooked together, "scrap" being a favorite in some parts of the country.

Corn bread and corn griddle cakes are made in many ways. Good bread may be made of wheat flour and corn meal, half and half. Puddings and even doughnuts and cakes are made with corn meal as the basis. Recipes for using corn meal in all these ways, and others, may be had from the department of agriculture upon request.

## ARMY ASKING BIDS ON AUTOS AND MOTORCYCLES

(By Associated Press Local Wire.) Chicago, May 10.—Bids from manufacturers only for 10,000 motorcycles, 1,000 automobiles and 600 motor trucks will be invited by the United States army quartermaster department within a few days, it was announced today. The bids, it was asserted, will call for prices on from one to 1,000 five passenger cars to cost up to \$1,000 each, a like number of runabouts of the same class, 1,000 cars of the 1,500 class and 100 of the \$2,000 class. Five thousand of the motorcycles are to have side cars attached.

## ILLINOIS WOMEN MOBILIZE

(By Associated Press Local Wire.) Chicago, May 10.—The women of Illinois are organized for war. A central committee has been formed, representing all the women's organizations of the state which will have general charge of all women's war-time activities. A call issued for the forming of the central committee expressed the purpose of the committee as follows: "To avoid duplication of effort; to utilize organizations already in existence; to promote efficiency and give every woman an opportunity for patriotic service at home or abroad."

Mrs. Frank Lowden, wife of the governor; Mrs. Antoinette Funk and Miss Agnes Nestor, the two ladies representing Illinois on the national council of defense, were chosen honorary chairmen of the committee.

READ BEACON-NEWS WANT ADS.

## What We Pay Our Soldiers and Sailors

The pending army bill adds \$5 a month to the pay of every enlisted man. Present yearly pay in the United States army and navy is as follows:

The Army

Major General, \$5,000; Brigadier General, \$4,000; Colonel, \$3,500; Lieutenant Colonel, \$3,000; Major, \$2,500; Captain, \$2,000; First Lieutenant, \$1,500; Second Lieutenant, \$1,100.

Those of the lower grades are paid the following per month:

Electricians, \$45 to \$75; Sergeants, \$20 to \$45; cooks and horseboys, \$20; Corporals, \$21 to \$24; mechanics and artificers, \$21 to \$24; privates, first class, \$13; other privates, \$15.

Officers get ten per cent extra pay after five years and 40 per cent extra after twenty years. They also have heat and light free and are allowed for quarters. Privates get \$15 a month during second enlistment and each subsequent enlistment adds something up to the seventh, when the pay is \$25.

The Navy

Admiral, \$15,000; rear admiral, \$8,000 to \$10,000, according to rank; Captain, \$4,000; Commander, \$3,500; Lieutenant Commander, \$3,000; Lieutenant, \$2,000 to \$2,500, according to grade; ensign, \$1,700; midshipman, \$600 while at the naval academy, \$1,400 in service; warrant officer, \$1,500; mate, \$1,125 to \$1,500.

The pay of the lower grades is by the month, as follows:

Chief petty officers, \$50 to \$70; petty officer, \$30 to \$55; according to class; seamen, first class, \$24; ordinary seamen, \$19; apprentice seamen, \$15; cook, \$25 to \$35; fireman, \$20 to \$35.

Gunners are classed as warrant officers. Gunner's mates are classed as petty officers.

Both officers and men in the navy, as in the army, get allowances for heat, light and quarters and extra pay for length of service.

Marine Corps

The pay for officers is the same as in the army. Privates, \$15 a month. Both officers and men get extra pay for length of service and light and heat free.

Additional pay is granted marine and army officers and men on foreign service.

## SINN FEINER ELECTED TO HOUSE OF COMMONS

(By Associated Press Local Wire.)

London, May 10.—Joseph McGuinness, a Sinn Feiner, has been elected to the house of commons at the special election held to fill the vacancy for the southern division of Longford county, Ireland. His majority was 37 over Patrick McKenna, nationalist.

## TAMARACK AND WOLF'S

Tamarack and Wolf's, Ill., May 10.—Mr. and Mrs. John Harvey spent Sunday with Mrs. Harvey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gramley of Maple Park.

Winfield Clark of Aurora visited Joseph Holdman Sunday. Miss Elva Rink is spending a few days with relatives in Aurora. Miss Florence Elinger attended the rural church conference at Elburn over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Light of Oswego visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rink Sunday.

Miss Myr Varley spent the week end in Aurora with her cousin, Miss Vivian Avery. John Craig of Aurora was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Tuttle Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Barker of Aurora spent last Wednesday with their daughter, Mrs. Arthur Shogor. Mr. and Mrs. George Tuttle and Miss Edith Rink were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Keck in Joliet Sunday.

The Y. P. A. of the Evangelical church will give a temperance program next Sunday evening. A speaker from the Anti-Saloon league will be present and give an address.

The "Message Bearers" were entertained Saturday afternoon at the home of their manager, Miss Edith Hummel. After the regular missionary lesson, there were guessing contests and outdoor games. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Beacon-News want ads make realties out of wishes.

## EOLA AND BIG WOODS

East Big Woods, Ill., May 11.—Echoes from the recent rural church and Sunday school conference held at Elburn will be given at the Big Woods church next Sunday morning, May 13. Those who attended the conference from this vicinity report that the sessions were very practical as well as interesting and of much worth to those interested in rural church work.

Thomas Burgess of Wheaton was the guest of friends here Sunday. C. H. Spatcher of Aurora spent Sunday with friends in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Grommes attended the wedding of a relative near Warrenville Tuesday.

The Misses Alice and Anna Kearns attended the junior-senior banquet at the Naperville high school Saturday evening.

Kindy of Naperville who has taught the Big Woods school very successfully the past year, has been re-engaged in the same capacity for another year.

George Goss, Mrs. Henry Bartholomew and the Misses Frances Goss, Grace Tallman and Irene Carr, represented the Big Woods church at the rural church and Sunday school conference at Elburn last Saturday. Horace Goss, Ray Carr and the Misses Frances Goss and Irene Carr also attended the conference Sunday, making a total of five from the Big Woods church.

Prof. C. B. Bowman, pastor of the Big Woods Congregational church gave his hearers another eloquent discourse Sunday morning. His subject was "Abraham's Sacrifice" in which he spoke very feelingly of the many sacrifices this nation is being called upon to undergo in the present war crisis. Miss Black sang "One Sweetly Solemn Thought" which was thoroughly appreciated by all.

The women of Mrs. Henry Bartholomew's class of the Big Woods Sunday school observed one day last week as "calling day." Each one paid a friendly call to a neighbor or friend, the newer members of the class and community, being especially remembered in this respect. Although this was quite an innovation in rural Sunday school work yet it should be encouraged more as a means of strengthening community sociability and fellowship.

To Give Five Ambulances.

(By Associated Press Local Wire.) New York, May 11.—Five motor ambulances will be presented to the United States government by the Rotary club of New York. It was announced today.

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## What the Housewife Wants to Know

It is a fact that the foods we sell are far superior to those commonly sold; the reason being that Quality is our first consideration. We personally inspect everything entering our doors, consequently we can guarantee every article which we sell.

The food question is an important one in every home and we believe we can convince you that it is to your advantage to patronize our store, if you give us a fair trial.

Borden's Eagle Brand Milk, 15c a can, or 3 cans, 50c	Pot Roast, young corn feed beef, per pound, 24c
Keen Kleaner, 3 cans, 10c	Rib Roast, young corn feed beef, per pound, 25c
Our Golden Santos Coffee in bulk, 1 lb. 23c, or 3 lbs., 65c	Smoked Salmon, per pound, 40c
Milday Toilet Soap, 6 bars, 25c	Young Stewing Hens, per pound, 30c
Fancy New Potatoes, per peck, 90c	Pork Tenderloin, per pound, 40c
Pure Fruit Preserves, a large jar only, 30c	Genuine milk fed Calves Liver, per pound, 30c
Natural Brown Rice, per package, 12c	Fresh Ox Tail, per pound, 10c
Kerber Hams, 5-12 pounds, per pound, 31c	Veal Shoulder Roast, per pound, 24c
Plate Beef, young and lean, per pound, 15c	Veal Breast for dressing, per pound, 18c

Asparagus, Cauliflower, Pieplant, Celery, Strawberries, Grape Fruit, Oranges, Apples, Lettuce, Radishes, Watercress, Wax Beans, Green Onions, Fresh Tomatoes, Green Peppers and Fresh Pineapple

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Has only a little over half the buying power it had one year ago. But—You can make it go farther by buying such QUALITY MERCHANDISE as we sell.

You will get far greater satisfaction and service than if you buy inferior goods elsewhere.

Then by all means spend it here where you get "Every thing that's good to eat."

PINEAPPLES—Special extra large ripe Cuban fruit at the special price of each ..... 17c

Lima Beans, B. & M. brand, No. 2 cans, 2 for ..... 25c

PRUNES—Extra large Jumbo California sweet fruit, Japanese style, per pound ..... 20c

Raisins, fine, large clean seeded Muscatels, 2 packages ..... 25c

HAWAIIAN PINEAPPLE—Uno brand pineapple chunks, in heavy syrup, special, 2 cans for ..... 25c

## In Our Meat Department

"Milk" said that he had a record-breaker last Saturday and everybody was well pleased with the fine quality of meats they found here.

Chickens, home dressed hens, not too fat, per pound ..... 28c

Kerber's Country Kure Hams and Bacon

Veal Loaf, home baked and rightly seasoned, per pound ..... 35c

Lamb Chops ..... 25c

"Our" Pork Sausage, no better made, links, 28c, bulk ..... 25c

FREE DELIVERIES TO ALL PARTS OF THE CITY

## True Economy Demonstrated

in Our Men's and Young Men's SPRING CLOTHES

ECONOMY doesn't consist solely in paying a low price—true economy consists in paying a low price for a high quality—and that is the sort of economy this store offers you.

## Men's and Young Men's Suits and Top Coats

that are reliable, well fitted, well tailored and well styled.

If you're going to spend—say anywhere from \$15 up—your money is safest and best invested in one of our suits. It will prove a good buy.

## Boys' Fancy S



## Buy Your Meats at the Old Reliable Market and Get Quality at Moderate Prices

Fancy leg lamb, per pound ..... 25c  
Beef tenderloin to roast, per pound ..... 25c  
Extra fancy pot roast, per pound ..... 20c  
Beef boil, lean, per pound ..... 18c  
Pure lard, 10-pound pails at ..... \$2.40  
Our own cured fancy skinned hams at, per pound ..... 26c  
Swedish cheese (extra fine), in bricks 2 to 2 1/2 pounds each, lb. 27c

Home made sausages, home made noodles, broiling, roasting and stewing chickens.

## BINDER'S MARKET

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## VALUE SOARS AT CLOSE OF TRIAL

Stipe Says Tanlac's Been Worth A Dollar An Ounce To Him For Its Great Relief.

## SWITCHMAN HIGHLY PLEASED

Urbana, Ill., May 11.—"When my friends ask me what I think about this new medicine, Tanlac, I'm not slow in telling them that I think it is the best medicine I've ever taken and I feel it's been worth a dollar an ounce to me," was the statement of E. A. Stipe, 310 South Cottage Grove, made on April 17. He has been switchman for the past 14 years in the Big Four yards and is well known in Urbana.

"In the first place, my stomach was all out of shape," Mr. Stipe continued. "My liver and kidneys, also, caused me much bother. I had to be careful about my eating and even then gas formed in my stomach causing pains. I didn't get a good night's rest each week."

"I had tried many medicines in hope that I would find the right one and without a doubt I found it in Tanlac. It has benefited me wonderfully. Anything I eat seems to digest properly and agrees with me. My kidneys and liver are greatly improved and at night now I get good sound rest. In fact, my entire system seems to have been benefited by Tanlac. It's astonishing how this medicine built me up."

"Tanlac, the Master Medicine, is especially beneficial for stomach, liver and kidney trouble, loss of appetite, catarrhal complaints, nervousness and the like."

Tanlac is being introduced and explained in Aurora at the Public Drug Store, New York and Broadway, and in Chicago at Johnson's drug store.

## MOTHERHOOD WOMAN'S JOY

Suggestions to Childless Women.

Among the virtues of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the ability to correct sterility in the cases of many women. This fact is well established as evidenced by the following letter and hundreds of others we have published in these columns.

Poplar Bluff, Mo.—"I want other women to know what saving Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been to me. We had always wanted a baby in our home but I was in poor health and not able to do my work. My mother and husband both urged me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."

Compound. I did so, my health improved and I am now the mother of a fine baby girl and do all my own house work.—Mrs. ALICE B. TIMMONS, 216 Almond St., Poplar Bluff, Mo.

In many other homes, once childless, there are now children because of the fact that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound makes women normal, healthy and strong.

Write to the Lydia E. Pinkham's Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for advice. It will be confidential and helpful.

Advertisement.

## TO INCREASE CORN IN CORN COUNTRY

Virile Seed, Well Tilled Soil, Quick Replanting of Missing Hills Declared Mandatory.

List of the Corn Producing Counties to Be Depended Upon for Increased Yield, Given.

Washington, D. C.—The secretary of agriculture issued the following statement:

Corn is America's most important cereal. It can be grown successfully over a wider area than any other and furnishes nutritious food for man as well as the staple grain feed for cattle and draft animals. The production of corn should be increased this year to the fullest extent, taking into consideration seed, labor, and existing economic conditions, and the availability of good land in corn growing regions not needed more urgently for other crops. The acreage may well be increased in most of the country east of the 100th meridian, as corn, in general, thrives in this region. An appreciable increase in the corn crop is most feasible, however, in the sections of highest corn production. Favorable growing conditions exist in such regions; farmers there are familiar with corn-growing; they have the necessary equipment available, and have adapted corn production to prevailing economic conditions. Farmers in such regions, through many years of experience, have learned methods of successfully combating adverse conditions. They know that the planting of virile, tested seed in well-tilled, friable soil, immediate replanting of missing hills, and early and continued cultivation of the field count for much in the ability of the plants to produce a bountiful yield. This knowledge should be put to good use during the coming season in order that however unfavorable conditions may be production of an exceptionally large crop may be assured.

Counties in which experience has shown that corn may be produced successfully, the possibilities of increasing the corn crop without encroaching upon other important crops is at least worthy of consideration. If land, labor, and seed are available, the following counties are recommended for increased corn production:

Area Maximum Corn Production.

A list of the leading corn producing counties, in the principal corn-producing areas, is given roughly in the order in which efforts to increase the production of corn should be most successful. Such a list of counties for the ten leading corn-producing states follows. The states and the counties within them are named in the order of their importance in corn production. Although early planting has been completed or are in progress in some of the counties, late additional plantings may be advisable in such regions.

Illinois. Counties: Champaign, Iroquois, La Salle, Livingston, McLean, Bureau, Christian, Edgar, Henry, Lee, Logan, Macoupin, Sangamon, Shelby, Vermilion, Will, Adams, Coles, DeKalb, DuWart, Douglas, Fayette, Ford, Fulton, Grundy, Hancock, Kankakee, Knox, McDonough, Macoupin, Mason, Mercer, Montgomery, Morgan, Ogle, Peoria, Pike, Tazewell, Warren, Whiteside, Woodford, Madison, Marshall, McHenry, Wayne, White, Greene, Jasper, Jefferson, Carroll, Clark, Clay, Cook, Hamilton, Henderson, Kendall, Menard, Winnebago, Cass, Clinton, Crawford, Edmonson, Franklin, Rock, Island, St. Clair, Schuyler, Stark, Washington.

Iowa. Counties: Harrison, Plymouth, Polk, Pocahontas, Sioux, Woodbury, Benton, Blackhawk, Boone, Buena Vista, Butler, Calhoun, Carroll, Cass, Cedar, Cherokee, Clinton, Crawford, Dallas, Franklin, Fremont, Greene, Grundy, Guthrie, Hamilton, Hardin, Jasper, Johnson, Keokuk, Kosciusko, Linn, Lyon, Mahaska, Marshall, Mills, Monroe, O'Brien, Pocahontas, Polk, Poweshiek, Sac, Shelby, Story, Tama, Washington, Webster, Wright, Audubon, Buchanan, Cerro, Gordo, Delaware, Fayette, Ida, Iowa, Madison, Marion, Montgomery, Clay, Clayton, Floyd, Hancock, Henry, Jones, Scott, Taylor, Warren, Wayne.

Nebraska. Counties: Cass, Buffalo, Gage, Knox, Lancaster, Saunders, Adams, Blaine, Boone, Butler, Cass, Cedar, Clay, Cumming, Dawson, Dixon, Fillmore, Frontier, Furness, Hamilton, Holt, Jefferson, Johnson, Lincoln, Madison, Nuckolls, Otoe, Pierce, Platte, Richardson, Saline, Seward, Sawyer, Wayne, Webster, York, Adams, Burr, Dodge, Franklin, Phelps, Polk, Red Willow, Thurston, Valley, Greeley, Hall, Harlan, Howard, Kearney, Nance, Nemaha, Pawnee, Shepman, Stanton.

Missouri. Counties: Bates, Nodaway, Vernon, Atchison, Audrain, Barton, Callaway.

## Looking Forward to Motherhood

Well Known Preparation Relieves Much Suffering.

The greatest crisis in the life of a woman is when she becomes a mother. All her physical strength is taxed to the limit at such a time. It is necessary that she prepare her system for the great event in order to preserve her future health.

Thousands of mothers have placed safe reliance upon "Mother's Friend." This preparation is applied externally and is composed of special penetrating, softening oils which prepare the muscles and tendons for the unusual strain. Naturally the tendency is to relieve the pain and danger at the crisis, leaving the mother in a healthy condition.

The expectant mother should procure a bottle of "Mother's Friend" from her druggist, apply it night and morning, and after beginning its use, write for free book for more information. The book is sent in return for a stamped address. Write to the Regulator Company, Dept. B, 254 Atlanta, Ga., and the book will be mailed to you at once.

## Original in Design and Color



Dark green luster is used for the crownwork of this Spanish sailor, whose slightly upturned roll is interrupted by cuttings which are labeled across with tiny black notches and edged with it, too. A black-pile ribbon climbs up the crown with pretty impudence and hides under a smart little black ostrich tip.

Dark green hamp faced in black satin and swathed Hindi fashions to form a crown of black satin fashions.

## ARMOUR-SALESMEN URGED TO PREACH CONFIDENCE

The front page of the Armour magazine has been taken over by the great packing company, has the following word on "Business as Usual" by F. Edson White, vice president:

"This is a time to preach confidence and to demonstrate confidence, that business may proceed along normal lines. It is essential to our national welfare that there be no sudden rending of the business fabric. Industrial or business depression must not be permitted."

"With our nation at war and its future dependent on its efficiency, there is need that every factory and every business institution expand, rather than restrict activities. Buying and selling of goods of all kinds must not fall below normal. That applies all along the line from the producer to the ultimate consumer."

"There is no occasion for alarm in the business world. The nation is going to meet the problems confronting it and is willing to emerge triumphant from its struggle for world-wide democracy. A wonderful period of national prosperity lies just beyond the war cloud. Our future as a nation is assured and there is every reason for confidence."

"Armour salesmen should sound the note of optimism wherever they go. They should feel confident and spread confidence. They should strengthen the dealer who already has faith, and they should restore faith to the man who wavers. They must see the light themselves and reflect it to the business world. The future of the nation demands that business proceed in its usual way."

## ROCKVILLE

Rockville, Ill., May 11.—Warren Kinney and Myrtle Kinney attended a party for Westly Judd of Sugar Grove Saturday evening.

Frank Raymond shelled corn for J. L. Ervin Tuesday.

Miss Grace Jeter was home from Aurora over the week-end.

R. D. Palmer's family spent Sunday afternoon at E. C. Kinney's.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Olson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. Olson.

Mrs. Jane Dakin of Ball Mound spent Sunday with Mrs. Mary Raymond.

Frank Raymond and mother, Mrs. A. Raymond, motored to Aurora Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Warford of Aurora spent Sunday at James Ervin's.

Willard Bailey and family of Bald Mound were calling at J. D. Ervin's Sunday.

School closes Tuesday for the summer vacation. Miss Vera Davis has been hired for another year.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Stahl and daughter from Aurora spent the week-end with their mother, Mrs. Hattie Stahl.

Y. M. C. A. Camp Fund. Springfield, Ill., May 11.—The Y. M. C. A. here has just finished a campaign in which \$50,000 was pledged, \$20,000 of which is to be used for work in military camps in Springfield and \$30,000 to liquidate the debt of the local association.

## Are You Being Slowly Poisoned?

The most eminent physicians recognize that uric acid stored up in the system is the cause of gout and rheumatism, the most serious ailments deposited in the joints, muscles, or nerve-sheath. By experimenting and analysis at the Surgical Institute in Buffalo, N. Y., Dr. Pierce discovered a combination of native remedies that he called Anuric, which drives out the uric acid from the system and in this way the pain, swelling and inflammation subside. If you are a sufferer from rheumatism, backache, pains here or there, you can obtain Anuric (double strength) at any drug store, and story relief from the pains and ills brought about by uric acid.

Swollen hands, ankles, feet are due to a drop in uric acid, often caused by disordered kidneys. Naturally when the kidneys are deranged the blood is filled with poisonous uric acid, which settles in the tissues of the feet, ankles, wrists or back as uric acid salts; or under the eyes in bag-like formations.

The very best possible way to take care of yourself is to take a glass of hot water before meals and an Anuric tablet. In this way it is readily dissolved with the food, picked up by the blood and finally reaches the kidneys, where it has a cleansing and tonic effect.

Step into the drug store and ask for a 10-cent package of Anuric, or send Dr. Pierce 10c for trial package. Anuric—many times more potent than lithia, eliminates uric acid as fast as it is made. A short trial will convince you. Advertisement.

## NORTH AURORA

North Aurora, Ill., May 11.—The coal business of Peter Pett & Son will hereafter be under the new firm name of the Pett Coal company, with L. A. Pett as manager. N. J. Smith will have charge of the coal yards and do the delivering. A new shed 10 feet long is being added to the yard for coke.

Out of town guests have been spending the week with Mrs. Mary Jones and family.

Mrs. John Thies is spending a week with her daughter, Mrs. Nicholas Schrammer in Virgil.

Nine young women of the Royal Neighbor lodge are rehearsing for a play that will be given May 21, at the school hall.

Two large flags are soon to be raised here, one at the saw factory of Hartsburg & Hawkeye, and another at the Sperry foundry.

James Blake has moved into his new home, the Glines house, Frank Sundfield moving into the Nelson house, vacated by the Blake family.

Town Marshal William Flynn has informed all owners of dogs that they will have to be tagged. Dogs running at large without tags will be shot.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Boardman have returned from DeKalb, where they were called by the death of the latter's cousin, Mrs. Edith Willey. The funeral was held Wednesday.

## SUGAR GROVE

Sugar Grove, Ill., May 11.—Mrs. Della Judd is able to be out again after several days' illness.

Myrtle Hill of Aurora spent the week-end with Charlotte Judd.

The Dave Thomas family entertained friends from Aurora Sunday.

Most of the high school boys are staying at home to help get in the crops.

Carrie Lye spent Sunday at Kaneville with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Will Lye, who is very ill.

Mrs. Edw. Morgan of Big Rock spent most of last week at the L. D. Judd home caring for Mrs. Judd.

There was a jolly crowd at the dance given by the Girls' Dancing club at Knudson's hall Friday evening.

The L. C. S. S. was entertained Thursday by Mrs. J. H. Bliss and

daughter, Miss Katherine, at their home in Aurora.

Mr. R. D. Palmer has been entertaining a niece from California for the past two weeks. She leaves this week for New York.

Will A. Johnson, who has been confined to his home for the past four weeks with walking typhoid, is not doing very well.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Snow, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Myers attended the funeral of Miss Ruby Williams at Big Rock last Saturday.

The friends of L. D. Judd, who has been in the Aurora hospital for the past five weeks with typhoid fever, were sorry to learn recently that he was not so well.

The Sugar Grove Farmers' club will meet at the Elmer Spencer home near Kaneville, Wednesday, May 23. Refreshment committee, Mrs. Art Myers, Mrs. Edgar Snow, Mrs. Elmer

Spencer.

Weasley Judd was 15 years old Saturday. A few friends stepped in during the evening to help him celebrate. The evening was spent playing games. In the contest Myron Palmer carried off first prize and Warren Kingsey, consolation. A dainty lunch was served.

When a woman laughs at her husband's jokes they are either pretty good—or else she is.

The use of astringent cream at night and astringent lotion during the day will remove the oily appearance and improve the texture of the skin—Five demonstration and explanation of treatment at—

MAKIE BEISING, Madeline Shop, Francis Bldg., Chicago phone 162-7.

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## FROST-PROOFING CORN IS POSSIBLE

This One Project of U. S. Department of Agriculture in Extending Crop Area.

Some Varieties Have Been Found Which Withstand Freezing in Spring and Fall.

Washington, D. C., April 28.—In this age of wonderful achievement, a frost-proof corn is among the possibilities of attainment. When a corn is bred that will withstand spring and fall frosts and grow at low temperatures, like rice, the rice and territory of King Corn will be extended and his powers increased.

Recent work of the office of corn investigations, bureau of plant industry, United States department of agriculture, indicates the possibility of producing varieties of frost-proof corn and varieties that will continue growth at low temperatures. Some kinds of corn have been found to withstand freezing, both in the spring and in the fall, and afterwards continue to grow. Still more encouraging is the fact that some individual plants of these hardy varieties are more enduring than other plants of the same variety.

Can Plant Earlier. At the first signs of spring, with patches of snow still on the ground, seed of these varieties has been planted and has shown ability to withstand frozen ground and spring frosts and ultimately to yield well. Planted in February, 1917, plants which were several inches high withstood a freeze of March 8, which froze the ground to a depth of two inches.

Of still more importance, than the possibility of producing frost-proof corn is the possibility of producing varieties of corn that will continue to thrive and produce grain at lower temperatures than existing varieties. There is much territory with long frost-free periods, where, during nights or for several weeks during the growing season, temperatures remain too low for ordinary varieties of corn to grow.

More Corn and Less Water.

If sometimes becomes necessary to do heavy work, such as hauling water to put out fire, but what's the

use of hauling water from the cornfields to the feed lot, and hauling it back again to the fields in the shape of unwatered cornstalks? Very little-growing corn, when sappy and immature is almost all water and so wet cornstalk manure.

It used to be that many growers prided themselves on the great height of their cornstalks. The more successful farmers, however, have ceased to haul water from the cornfields to the feed lot in the form of cornstalks which remain unwatered and haul it back to the fields in the shape of wet cornstalk manure. They do not grow such tall stalks and often profitably allow animals to gather the grain, leaving the stalks in the fields to enrich the soil.

A few years ago, silage was thought to have a fixed food value. One cannot take out of the silo any more food value than is put in. Hauling and silaging large sappy stalks is heavy work and not as profitable as putting a good, almost mature corn crop into the silo. A somewhat larger and later maturing variety of corn that will thoroughly mature for grain can be used in the northern states for silage. Even silage corn should be planted early and given sufficient time to make its best growth and reach the stage of maturity at which husks turn brown and the ears become glazed.

A co-operator in the department's corn work grows a high-yielding variety of corn, the stalks of which reach a height of about six feet, while his neighbor grows a big, 12-foot variety. In helping each other shred their crops, the neighbor's tall-growing corn was "shredded" first. The stalks were bulky and high loads were hauled from the fields to the shredder. When beginning the shredding of the competitor's corn, which that year produced over 100 bushels of dry shelled corn per acre, the neighbor put on the accustomed high load, and his team could not pull it out of the field. He got down off the load to make an examination, thinking the rack must be pressing against the wheels. The competitor told him he would have to take off a part of the load, to which he replied that he did not have on a big load and was accustomed to hauling larger loads. After being convinced that it was the weight of the load that stalled his team, they removed a portion and hauled the balance to the shredder, from which they obtained 40 bushels of corn, or almost a ton and a half of ears.

What variety of corn should you plant? Since there are thousands of so-called varieties, it is not possible

to designate by name the variety you should plant. Furthermore, with corn, there is very little in a name. Two lots of seed of the "Leaming" variety sometimes differ from each other more than two varieties differ from one another. An accurate test of two different lots of the Boone county white variety resulted in one lot producing 13 bushels more per acre than the other lot. Quality is what counts and the varietal name

does not designate quality. Plant a variety that has made good in your neighborhood. Plant seed which was grown in your part of the state and was properly field selected and properly cared for during the winter.—C. F. Hartley, in charge of corn investigations, United States department of agriculture.

Beacon-News want ads introduce you to buyers, sellers, tenants, landlords, employers, employees, etc.

## SPRING CROP OUTLOOK VERY POOR IN ENGLAND

(By Associated Press London Wire.) London, May 10.—Reports of the agricultural outlook in Great Britain are almost uniformly discouraging. Not even the oldest farmer recalls a more trying time than that through which he has just been passing. A

late sowing, a poor yield, a wet autumn and a severe winter have been followed by a spring with all the marked characteristics of December. The state of the fields is called in all the agricultural reports "serious." Altho it is still possible that a period of warm weather might change the situation considerably by the end of May.

Some wives practice preparedness by rifling their husbands' pockets.

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# For Fashionable Afternoon Wear!

## Taffeta Silk Suits Commanding Attention Charmingly Beautiful Styles Developed

In harmony with the fashionable demand, some very beautiful styles have been developed, especially adapted for street wear, motoring, etc. Materials are soft chiffon taffetas with a beautiful satin lustre and of a quality that insures service.

Jackets have very large collars, with over-collars of white corded silks; beautifully hand embroidered, fancy girdles, and sleeves; skirts are the very popular shirred back styles.

The effects are exceedingly rich and stylish. Prices range from \$25.00 down to \$15.00, with splendid selections at each price. Belgian Blue, Navy Blue and Black are the popular colors. Early selections are very advisable.

## Cloth Suits—Ultra Fashionable Styles

This week we have received another shipment of ladies' and misses' suits consisting of up-to-the-minute models. Styles that developed in the past ten days by New York's most renowned artist. The materials are poplins and men's wear serges, lined throughout with guaranteed linings and beautifully tailored. Priced at \$18.50 and \$16.50.

## Junior Suits for the Young Miss

For the young miss just entering womanhood, we are showing some very attractive models, especially designed for the requirements of juniors. Handsome little shepherd check suits at \$12.50. Very beautiful all wool poplin suits at \$15.00.

## Twenty-Five Silk Dresses at \$15.00

The balance of our stock, most of them received since Easter, consisting chiefly of satin taffetas, all silk georgette and crepe de chine; also combinations of these fabrics. These dresses are tailored in the most perfect manner and are exquisitely hand finished, in styles probably superior to any shown in this city; \$35.00, \$30.00 and \$22.50 gowns. While they last they go at \$15.00. But you should act quickly.



## Refinement Plus Style—the Coat Problem

To have your coat possess style and smartness, also an air of refinement, without sacrificing service and economy is the problem of every woman. Here is the answer.

Our materials are all personally selected. Our styles are all personally selected and exclusively our own, and cannot be purchased elsewhere in Aurora. Our tailoring is done in the most painstaking manner; hand finishing is the most perfect that human skill can produce. Add to this an economical price and you have the main reasons for the wonderful popularity of our coats. Selections are large, permitting ample scope for personal preference. Prices range from \$25.00 down to \$9.98.

## Women's All Wool Poplin Coat at \$15.00

This coat is made of a very fine quality of all wool poplin, back is very full and held in place by three narrow belts, trimmed with high grade pearl buttons; coat has deep collar of self material and over collar of satin duchess, very large pockets and cuffs. Coat is a very graceful, stylish and high grade economically priced at \$15.00.

## Black and White Check Coats at \$9.98

Material is a good quality all wool material in a medium check; large collar full ripple, belted model with two large pockets. A serviceable, handsome coat, with a lot of style.

LADIES' AND MISSES' SIZES AT \$9.98. Also an unlimited selection of very handsome high grade coats at from \$25.00 down to \$15.00.

## Junior Coats

A handsome selection for the large girl, at from \$15.00 down to \$7.00.

## Children's Coats

Some very beautiful models in high grade durable fabrics, from \$10.00 down to \$3.98.

## Blouses and Waists Reasonably Priced

More than 100 distinctively new and handsome styles just received. The selection is practically limitless, each one and every one a dainty and handsome garment. Crepe de chine waists in white and all high shades, range from \$2.98 up to \$7.50. Voile, the popular sheer fabric, range from \$2.75 down to 88c.

## \$1.50 Value Chiffon Taffeta at \$1.25

This is a splendid quality of soft finished chiffon taffeta, yard wide and guaranteed by the manufacturer to give perfect wear. The following colors will be on sale: Navy blue, Copenhagen blue, French blue, old rose, ash of roses, golden brown, pearl gray, sky blue, lemon, shell pink and black. This is ideal quality for suits, skirts, dresses and coats. Yard wide. Very specially priced for tomorrow, per yard, \$1.25.

## 40-Inch Wide All Silk Crepe de Chine Per Yard \$1.25

A beautiful satin finished, heavy all silk crepe de chine. The season's most popular fabric for fancy gowns and waists. Wears and cleans beautifully. On sale in the following colors: Old rose, ash of roses, flesh, shell pink, sky blue, canary, lemon, Nile, white and black. Very greatly underpriced for tomorrow's sale, per yard, \$1.25.

## Special Offerings in Towels and Toweling

The prices on all these items have been greatly reduced for this sale and they will be a very great deal higher. We earnestly advise our customers to lay in a supply now, while they are cheap.

### Cotton Damask China Toweling, Yd., 8c

A good weight, fine quality, snow white, fancy damask toweling, an ideal china and glass toweling, 16 inches wide. Very specially priced, per yard 8c.

### Stevens' Extra Wide All Linen Crash, Per Yard, 21½c

This is a fine thread, heavy weight, firmly woven, strictly all linen, bleached crash, one of the best wearing crashes on earth, full 21½ inches wide. Greatly underpriced for this sale, yard 21½c. Not over 10 yards sold to any one customer.

### Stevens' Bleached All Linen Crash, 17c

Stevens is recognized as one of the very best crashes on earth, this is a heavy thread, very firmly woven, bleached, strictly all pure linen, 16 inches wide. Greatly underpriced for this sale, per yard 17c.

### Not more than 10 yards sold to any one customer

### Huck Towels, 11c Each

A firm, heavy weight, fine quality, bleached, cotton huck towel with fancy red border, size 18 x 24-inch. Very specially priced at each 11c.

### Jumbo Bleached Bath Towels, 21c

A very fine quality, good weight, bleached

Turkish towel, extra large size, 22x46-inch, hemmed. Very specially priced at each 21c.

### 64-inch Silver Bleached Mercerized Table Damask, 46c

A very firm, heavy, fine thread, all cotton mercerized table damask, has the appearance of an all linen and will give years of satisfactory service, 46 inches wide. Very specially priced at yard 46c.

### 72-inch Bleached Linen Damask, 85c

This is a very fine quality half linen damask, fine thread, good weight, beautiful finish, will wear and launder like a pure all linen damask, full 72-inch width. Very specially priced, yard 85c.

We earnestly advise our regular customers to take advantage of these specials, as all are worth much more and will be still higher.

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## What Is the Batavia Industrial Assn.?

It was organized in April, 1916. The following extract from its constitution explains its object:

1. This organization shall be known as the Batavia Industrial Association and its purposes shall be to promote the industrial and civic welfare of the City of Batavia, Illinois, by procuring additional industrial plants in order that more means of employment may be provided, and to improve the conditions of life among the people.
2. Membership in this Association shall be open to all male citizens over the age of sixteen years. Any such person may purchase as many memberships as he may see fit, subject to the approval of the Board of Directors.
3. The dues of each membership shall be ten cents per month, payable quarterly, at the beginning of each calendar quarter, to the Secretary or his approved agent.

JOIN! And help us build up the town and improve conditions.

**NICHOLAS L. JOHNSON** Secretary

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## EPWORTH LEAGUE MEET AT BATAVIA

Aurora District Annual Convention Coming May 18 to 20 at First M. E. Church.

Committees Named to Care for Visiting Delegates and Others—Good Program Ready.

Batavia, Ill., May 11.—The twenty-seventh annual convention of the Aurora District of the Epworth League is to be held in this city May 18, 19 and 20 at the First M. E. church. The various committees on the local league, to act as host will be as follows:

General chairman, Harold F. Sweet; Rev. E. A. Moon; registration and assignments, John Lillian Sweet; decorating, Miss Benita Briggs; advertising and badges, Miss Ruth Feller; social, Miss Emma Anderson; reception, Miss Ethel Anderson; autos, Dr. G. O. Keffer; trains, E. R. Freed; luncheon, Dr. Frank Sheets; president, C. E. Middleton; 1015 Prospect avenue, Elgin; first vice president, Hayes Robinson, 320 Union street, Joliet; second vice president, Miss Hope David, New Lenox; third vice president, Miss Betty Cooke, 353 Stella street, Joliet; fourth vice president, Miss Sarah Stassen, Peotone; junior superintendent, Miss Daisy Ream, 412 North Eastern avenue, Joliet; secretary, Warren Gladfield, Ottawa; treasurer, C. Wayne Ferguson, 616 Pine street, Morris.

Representatives to the convention from the conference will be: Frank Sheets, Aurora; the Rev. W. A. Kishpaugh, Marshall; James M. Stewart, Elgin; J. Marie Garry, Aurora; Paul F. Foster, Elgin; and district missionary representative, F. Stanley Carson, Hinsdale, Ill.

The program will be as follows:

Friday Evening.  
7:30—Registration.  
7:30—Reception.  
8:00—Social, assignment.  
Saturday Morning.  
9:15—Devotional service, the Rev. Faye Arnold Moon, Batavia.  
9:45—Business session, roll call, appointment of committees.  
9:50—Round table discussion, First department, Dr. Victor Thrall, Chicago; second department, John R. Horsley, Chicago; third department, the Rev. Fred D. Stone, Elgin; fourth department, Miss Lillian Sheridan, Chicago; secretary-treasurer, junior league, Miss Millie F. Lord.  
10:15—Lake Geneva Epworth League Institute.

11—Jennings seminary, Miss Flora A. Sorbey.  
11:30—Department reports.  
Saturday Afternoon.  
1:30—Final business session.  
2:30—Recreation, Batavia, chapter.  
3:30—Third annual banquet, music, reading, league song. Address, Roy L. Smith, St. Paul church, Chicago. Awarding of district banner.

9:00—Devotional service, the Rev. D. D. Vaughn, Aurora.  
10:15—Morning worship, the Rev. Faye Arnold Moon, Batavia.  
11:45—Sunday school.  
2—Lecture.

1—Installation of officers, the Rev. Frank D. Sheets, district superintendent.  
6—Epworth league, local chapter.  
7:30—Evening service.

Get Fine Army Pictures.

The Military Aid association has procured a fine motion picture film for Monday evening. It is one of the many things that will be good on the program. It consists of pictures from West Point, the United States navy and Lake Bluff, United States army and Gen. Joffre's visit in Chicago. The benefit meeting is being held to raise the balance of the money needed for the suits for the Boy Scouts and the high school cadets uniforms. There will be no admission but a contribution will be expected. The factories will extend an invitation to all men employed there. There is to be some fine music and every one is urged to be present.

Senior Class Entertainment.

This evening there is to be an entertainment at the high school under the auspices of the senior class. In place of the customary class play the senior class is acting as sponsors for the new moving picture machine which has recently been purchased. There is to be music by the high school orchestra and readings by Miss Alta White. A five reel picture "Guarding Old Glory" with a number of other reels, will be shown.

Geneva Night at Bazaar.

Tonight will be Geneva night at the I. O. G. T. bazaar. A large number from out of town are expected. There has been a May pole erected and all arrangements for the May dance have been made. The bazaar will close tomorrow night with a grand ball. There are to be two prizes for the waltz and two-step. The affair is being held in Collins hall and every night an excellent program has been rendered.

Social and Personal.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McCormack of Plano have moved to this city. Mr. McCormack is employed at the Appleton Manufacturing company.

Dr. C. W. Boyd has returned to

his home in Chicago after visiting friends in this city.

The Rev. T. M. Higginbotham has received a letter from the Congregational church at Amherst, Ohio, 10 miles from Oberlin, inviting him to spend May 20 with them with the view of becoming their pastor. The letter has come too late, he says, as Mr. Higginbotham has accepted a call to Lake View, Iowa. He plans to leave June 1.

Mr. and Mrs. McCombs of South Bend, Ind., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Reaney. The women of the First Baptist church gave a coffee in the church parlors yesterday.

The Northern Dettlar Lodge No. 2 will have its regular meeting Friday evening. All members are asked to attend.

Mrs. F. H. Blackman entertained the Luncheon club at her home yesterday. At cards Mrs. A. L. Carlisle was given the favor for high score, was given the favor for high score, was given the favor for high score.

To Enter Training Camp.

Samuel Wingquist and Phillip Elstrom have taken examinations to enter the officers' reserve training camp at Fort Sheridan and plan to leave for there tomorrow. Mr. Elstrom passed the examination to enter as first lieutenant in the engineer corps. He and Mr. Wingquist will begin instructions at once and as soon as the drafting of privates begins these men will be in readiness to assist in the drilling of the new army.

Social and Personal.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Snow entertained the Dinner club at their home at South Batavia avenue last evening. Honors for high scores were made by Mr. Fred Byrke, N. F. Reckard and R. N. Wade. The club will meet in two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hobler.

The Rev. Fay Tyler of Auburn Park, Chicago, will exchange pulpits Sunday with the Rev. T. M. Higginbotham and preach both morning and evening. Mr. Tyler and Mr. Higginbotham at one time belonged to the same association in Ohio.

Miss Sarah Prudum addressed the members of the Red Cross workers at Geneva yesterday.

Miss Prudum is a guest at the P. P. Smith home and is going to France with the first new corps of American Red Cross workers.

Wanted—Four men or boys for insidework, 3 yard men, good lathe hand. Phone No. 10, Challenge Co.

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"Pride," another of "The Seven Deadly Sins," tonight at Batavia opera house.

## LELAND

Leland, Ill., May 9.—Pastor J. O. Tweten of Lee preached at both morning and evening services in the Bethany Lutheran church Sunday.

Miss Charlotte Hanson was a woman caller Saturday.

Mrs. Arthur Hasemann visited relatives at Aurora yesterday.

Miss Nora Stokling spent over Sunday with relatives at Elgin.

Miss Selma Johnson visited relatives at Rockford over Sunday.

Messadmes Newton Grover and Jesse Baker were Aurora callers Saturday.

Miss Dorothy Bohn spent Sunday with her parents at Sandwich.

Miss Ramona Thompson visited over Sunday with relatives in Chicago.

Messadmes Ole Thompson and George Wright spent Saturday in Aurora.

The Misses Nora and Mae Holverson spent Monday with friends in Aurora.

Messadmes Frank Farley and Marion Baker were Sandwich callers Monday.

Gay Herrick and sons of Watertown were calling on Leland friends Saturday.

Charles Robinson and Julius Martin of Biggsville, Ill., spent Sunday with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kastler and Mrs. C. F. Palsen spent Monday with Aurora friends.

Mrs. Margaret Barnes was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Sexton in Aurora Saturday.

Mrs. C. Tompkins of Aurora is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Jesse Olson here this week.

Mrs. V. B. Kline was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Charles Stontenberg in Somonauk Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Beckman and children of Somonauk were calling on Leland relatives Saturday.

Mrs. Marinda Harmonson and Miss Monnie and Miss Schwietske spent Saturday with friends in Aurora.

Mrs. M. J. K. Olson and Miss Isabelle returned Tuesday from an extended visit at Albuquerque, N. M.

Miss Helen Grover of Sandwich was the guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Newton Grover here Saturday.

Mrs. Roy Anderson entertained her sisters, Mrs. Clifford Wonders and Miss Hattie Johnson of Newark over Sunday.

Messadmes G. J. Miller and Jesse Johnson here this week.

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## ST. CHARLES WOMEN TAKE UP WAR WORK

Will Likely Unite With Geneva Red Cross Chapter Which Meets Twice a Week.

Two Women Have Already Received Certificates as Bandage Makers.

St. Charles, Ill., May 11.—The question of whether to have a chapter of the American Red Cross association established at St. Charles or to have St. Charles workers affiliate with the Geneva chapter, is yet undecided. It was reported today, it is believed by some no chapter will be started here. Some of the leaders said today they believe it is best to have the St. Charles workers unite with the Geneva chapter. This is being done.

The people are beginning to awaken to the value of the work done during times of war and other calamities by the American Red Cross association and many are now volunteering to join. In the past it was necessary to do much soliciting but aid is given more freely now.

The Geneva chapter meets twice a week in the Geneva court house and the women make bandages and do other such work. Making bandages is not such a simple matter. The women are given examinations in the work they do, and are then given certificates showing they do the work properly.

Mrs. Walter Larson and Mrs. Metcalf of St. Charles have received word that they have passed a successful examination as bandage makers.

The work of the American Red Cross representatives on the battlefields of Europe and among the suffering has been one of the brightest features of the struggle.

"White Elephant" Sale.

A "White Elephant" sale is to be held Thursday afternoon, May 17. The sale will be under the auspices of the Women's Aid society of the Congregational church and will be in the parlors of the church.

A "white elephant" is some piece of furniture, wearing apparel, etc., that is in good condition and which you don't want but which you wish to get rid of.

The women of the society are asking that persons having furniture, clothing, crockery, pictures, books, etc., they don't need and wish to give for the sale to notify the Rev. F. C. Netts or Mrs. William J. Calhoun.

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trading market for all men and boys' wearing apparel. With the splendid and satisfactory merchandise sold here, this men's store appeals to most all men and youths from twelve to twenty miles from St. Charles. Mrs. Carlson may well be proud of such a store. It is a credit to any size town or community.

## MOTHER'S DAY PROGRAM AT PLAINFIELD CHURCH

CARNATIONS WILL BE GIVEN TO ALL THE MOTHERS PRESENT.

Plainfield, Ill., May 11.—Mother's day will be observed at the Methodist church at the service Sunday morning. Flowers will be given to all the mothers present and a special sermon will be preached.

There will be services each night next week. These meetings are to be addressed by ministers of the Hook River conference—two different men each night.

Everybody is invited and urged to hear these various speakers.

Evangelical Church Announcements.

At Plainfield—Sunday school at 10 a. m.; preaching at 11 a. m.; Y. P. A. meeting at 7 p. m.; preaching at 7:30 p. m.

At Wheatland—Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.; preaching at 10:45 a. m.; Y. P. A. meeting at 7 p. m.; preaching at 7:45 p. m.

Every day will be observed at both churches during the morning service with appropriate exercises.

S. W. MOEHL, Pastor.

William Bundy, who has been at St. Joseph's hospital, Joliet, returned to his home in East Ottawa street yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Frank Foran gave a surprise party for her husband last evening. The affair was a card party. Twenty were present and enjoyed the evening at such a time.

After the dinner refreshments were served by Mrs. Foran, assisted by her mother, Mrs. E. Tierney, of Joliet. The decorations were in the national colors. Dr. and Mrs. Benson of Joliet were the out-of-town guests.

The missionary society of the Baptist church was entertained at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Bingham in Division street yesterday afternoon. Sixteen women were present. The reports for the last quarter were given and the summer work planned.

J. H. Bragow returned yesterday morning from California where he has been spending the winter. He was delayed by a week and is rather worn out. His housekeeper, Mrs. Hendricks, who has been in Wheatland, also returned yesterday.

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Solicitor for Complainant,  
Aurora, Illinois.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, KANE C.  
County of Aurora, ss. City  
of Aurora, ss. D. 1.  
J. Edgar Lammar versus Peter  
Lammar.  
In chancery. No. 7206.

I, J. Edgar Lammar, the defendant  
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Court of the Clerk of said Court  
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said, notice is hereby given  
that said defendant has  
complainant filed her bill  
in said Court, on the chancery  
thereof, on the tenth day of  
said defendant, that a summons  
issued out of said Court  
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of the next term of said Court  
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Corn—			
No. 2	1.48 1/2	1.49 1/2	1.47
No. 3	1.29	1.31 1/2	1.28 1/2
Oats—			
No. 2	.65 1/2	.67	.65 1/2
No. 3	.56 1/2	.57 1/2	.56 1/2
Barley—			
No. 2	38.95	39.07	38.75
No. 3	22.40	22.52	22.40

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**HEELS AND COPPERS**

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## BURY ASKS \$25,000 FOR LOSS OF HIS ARM

Switchman Hurt in Hill Yards of "Q" Jan. 27 Files Big Damage Suit.

Hill Alleges Road Is to Blame for Allowing Ice and Obstructions on Track.

Twenty-five thousand dollars for an arm crushed off by a railroad car in the Aurora yard, Jan. 27, 1917, is asked by John Bury, 125 Wilder street, former switchman in a suit started today against the Burlington railroad. The suit was filed in the circuit court at Geneva by Atty. Eugene Dwyer of Elgin representing Attorneys Elmer and Cohen of Chicago.

**Held Railroad to Blame.**—The suit is based upon the allegation that the railroad company "negligently and wrongfully allowed the railroad tracks adjacent to the one where he was working to be and remain in an unsafe and dangerous condition, because of leaving on the tracks, obstructions and obstructions." Bury claims that he slipped, stumbled and fell.

Bury, 45 years old, was riding cars that were being switched in the hill yards. It was night. He stepped to the ground for the purpose of throwing a switch. His left arm dropped across the rail and was crushed off at the elbow.

**Family of Tragedies.**—Tragedies have been many in the Bury family.

A number of years ago his 3-year-old sister was killed by a Burlington train in front of her home in North Broadway.

"Mat" Bury, a brother, while working as a switchman in the hill yards of the Burlington had both legs cut off. Later he met death by being struck by a swinging circuit tent pole at the time a cyclone wrecked the Ringling brothers' circus tent at the Aurora Driving park.

Peter Bury, another brother, met death in the Chicago yards of the Burlington railroad. Had been working as a switchman. He was started in on the elevator track and Bury went on the track to couple his engine to the cars loaded with grain. He hauled them to safety. A wall of the elevator fell and buried him.

## HOGS TAKE ANOTHER UPWARD PRICE JUMP

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.)

Chicago, May 11.—Hog prices today took another leap that brought about a new record top, \$16.25. The reason was the scarcity of receipts. Sheep supplies were also meager and prices attained fresh high levels. Cattle offerings proved to be of unattractive quality.

**Chicago Live Stock Market.**—Chicago, May 11.—Hogs—14,000; tomorrow 9,000; strong, 15¢ above yesterday's average. Bulk of sales, 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Light 15.00 to 16.25. Mixed 15.00 to 16.25. Heavy 15.00 to 16.25. Rough 15.00 to 16.25. Pigs 10.00 to 14.00. Cattle—2,000; tomorrow 400; steady. Native beef cattle, 7.00 to 12.00. Stockers and feeders, 7.00 to 12.00. Cows and heifers, 6.50 to 11.00. Calves, 8.00 to 12.00. Sheep—7,000; tomorrow 2,000; strong. Wethers, 11.75 to 14.00. Lambs, 14.00 to 15.75.

**Chicago Produce Market.**—Chicago, May 11.—Butter—Unsalted, creamery, 23 1/2¢; Eggs—High; receipts 23,145; firsts, 23 1/2¢; ordinary firsts, 20 1/2¢; at mark, cases included, 20 1/2¢. Potatoes—Receipts 20 cars; unchanged. Poultry (all)—Lower; fowls, 22 1/2¢.

**New York Sugar Market.**—New York, May 11.—Raw sugar—Steady; centrifugal, 35.21; molasses, 35.21.

**To Cure a Cold in One Day.**—Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

Archie Kerr is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kerr, of South Fourth street. Mr. Kerr is a resident of Omaha, Neb., and is manager for the Francis Motor Truck company.

Mrs. Julia Tomeray of Milwaukee came to Aurora to attend the funeral of the late Henry G. Dillenburg and is visiting Aurora friends and will go to Joliet from here.

Miss Mary L. Fidler of Church road was in Chicago yesterday.

Attorney Harry Hanson of Geneva was an Aurora visitor today.

## In Groceries:

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YOU'LL find standard foods here—those that have fought their way to your favor. We can't carry everything, nor would we, be serving our customers if we did attempt to do that. We carry The Best.

**For Saturday Only—**Flash Balls—Imported from Norway, special to-morrow, can 22c.

Pork and Beans—Wedding Ring brand, medium size can 15c.

Cocoa—Hershey's Cocoa, half pound can, priced at 21c.

Cucumbers—Large, fancy cucumbers, 10c each or 2 for 25c.

Deliveries to all parts of Aurora. Phone 365 or 269.

**Bjorseth Bros.** 13 South LaSalle St. Purveyors of Quality Groceries to a Critical Public.

## News in Brief

**Full Cream—Caramels**, the best in the city, 40c pound, at Shaff's Confectionery, Downer place.

**Frank Tenney's Visitor.**—Frank M. Tenney, publisher of the Great Falls Leader, at Great Falls, Mont., is here on a visit with his brother, J. C. Tenney, and his sister, Mrs. Virginia Tenney, of Aurora, and his brother-in-law, Dr. Louis Tenney, of Chicago. Mr. Tenney was for a number of years business manager of the old Aurora Daily News when it was under the ownership of former Mayor W. B. Frazer. He went to Montana 17 years ago, finally settling at Great Falls and going to work for the newspaper of which he is now part owner and manager.

**All Kinds—Of flowers** for Mother's day, Aurora Floral Company, 9 Downer place.

**Home-Made Pemecans**—Four flavors and mighty fine eating. Confectionery, Downer place.

**Joseph Bornheim Here.**—Joseph Bornheim, an old time Aurora resident, but who has lately been living in California, is in Aurora for several weeks visiting with old friends and disposing of the last of his real estate here. Mr. Bornheim's two daughters are permanently settled in California, being married to ranch owners, and Joseph says he will make his home there hereafter. Mrs. Bornheim died during the last year.

**Young Man—Attends** to that life insurance now. The New York Life still offers liberal terms to those engaging in military service. C. C. Wroughton, Agent.

**Axel Hedlin Prospects.**—Axel Hedlin, master mechanic of the Commonwealth Edison company of Chicago, was visiting Aurora friends yesterday. When an Aurora resident Mr. Hedlin was chief engineer of the street railway power plant. He went to Chicago some years ago to take charge of the power plant of the south side elevated and has since acquired his present responsible position.

**City Court May 15.**—The next session of the Aurora city court will be held Friday, May 15. It is not known what cases will be taken up. J. W. Greenway, clerk of the court, said today.

**Losses Money on Train.**—Harry J. Winters of Mendota reported yesterday that he lost a pocketbook containing \$33 on a Burlington railroad passenger train. He believes that the purse was taken out of his pocket by pickpockets as he was getting off the train. He did not discover his loss until he went into a Broadway store to make a purchase.

**Center.**—The seven-day cigar is already with us. An Aurora dealer has named his cigar the seven-center.

**Cycle Hits Girl Skater.**—Miss Ethel Anderson, 15 years old, was struck by a motorcycle while roller skating at the corner of New York and State streets last night. She was only slightly injured. She did not learn the name of the motorcycle. He got on his machine and rode away when he found the girl was not badly injured.

**Dance Tomorrow Night.**—Zouave ball, 35.00 in gold free.

**Home Building Held.**—Contractors are being held up on account of a lack of material, a builder said today. Shortage of cars and high prices are blamed.

**Wife Charges Cruelty.**—Mrs. May Nellie Welch has sued Gaylord Welch for divorce in the circuit court at Geneva, charging cruelty. The couple have been married since last January. Mrs. Welch is living with her mother here. She is represented by Attorney Samuel Stephens of the law firm of Raymond & Newhall.

**Elgin Officers Inspect Bridge Here.**—Mayor Albert Farnum, Councilmembers John S. Russell and John O'Connell and City Engineer Morgan Brightman of Elgin were in Aurora today looking over the bridge of the city. The city of Elgin is to construct a new bridge to replace the present Kimball street structure and the officials are traveling about the county getting new ideas on bridge building.

**Carnations—Hoses**, sweet peas and all other seasonable flowers, Aurora Floral company, 9 Downer place.



Of course, you want your furniture and hangings to harmonize with the finish on your walls, ceilings and wood-trim—well, simply finish them with

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This is a durable oil paint which dries with a soft, water-color effect. It may be successfully applied to plaster, wood-work, wall-board, canvas, burlap or any other wall covering; also to steam and hot water radiators. Eighteen beautiful tints to select from will combine harmoniously with any furnishings. Velour Finish may be used as appropriately in the parlor or living room as in the bedroom.

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## Social Chatter

**Kathryn**, the little eight-year-old daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Olaus Qualen of the Norwegian Danish Lutheran church, is ill with scarlet fever.

**Early tomato plants**, 15c per dozen. Aurora Greenhouse Co., on the island.

**Wilford**, the eight-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Jones of South Fourth street, is ill with tonsillitis.

**Mother's day**, Sunday: For mothers living, flowers bright; for mothers departed, flowers white. Get them at Smely's. Phone 147.

**Mrs. Ralph Plummer** of Spring street and little baby boy have returned home from the Aurora hospital. Mrs. Plummer was formerly Miss Helen Abramson.

**Mrs. F. J. McNellis** of Chicago is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. N. Braun, of North Fourth street.

**We are making** fresh peanut butter in our store every day. Come in and see the "Gobart Electric" do it. 125 1/2 Butter Store, 110 Fox street.

**Roy Kappes** of 404 Second avenue left last evening for North Dakota where he will be employed on a farm owned by his uncle, G. F. Funk.

**Mr. and Mrs. George Ogden** of Chicago have rented for the summer the house on the farm recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Wigg.

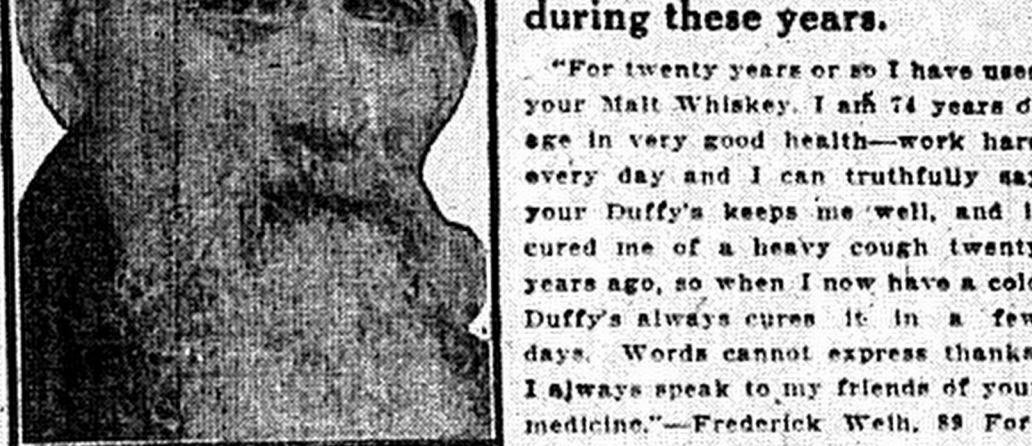
**Miss Margaret McIntosh** and Miss Frances VanVleet left this morning for Champaign where they will spend the week end. They will attend a fraternity dance.

**Mrs. F. F. Wagner** of Omaha, Neb., is visiting Mrs. D. Y. James of 420 New York street.

**Mrs. W. J. Fowler** of 277 South Broadway has returned from a five weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. Potter at Morrison.

## Has Used Duffy's 20 Years

More than 20 years ago Mr. Weih began taking Duffy's. Today, at 74, he is in good health, thanks to the judicious use of Duffy's during these years.



MR. FREDERICK WEIH

## Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey

Is an absolutely pure distillation of thoroughly malted grain, which makes it a true food tonic that gives fresh vigor to the weakened body. Because it excites in a moderate degree the energies of the body without causing any deviation of the healthy functions, Duffy's helps to give the system power to resist and throw off coughs, colds and germs of disease. For elderly people it is an energy producer. The judicious use of Duffy's stimulates the appetite, helps improve digestion and build up the tissues.

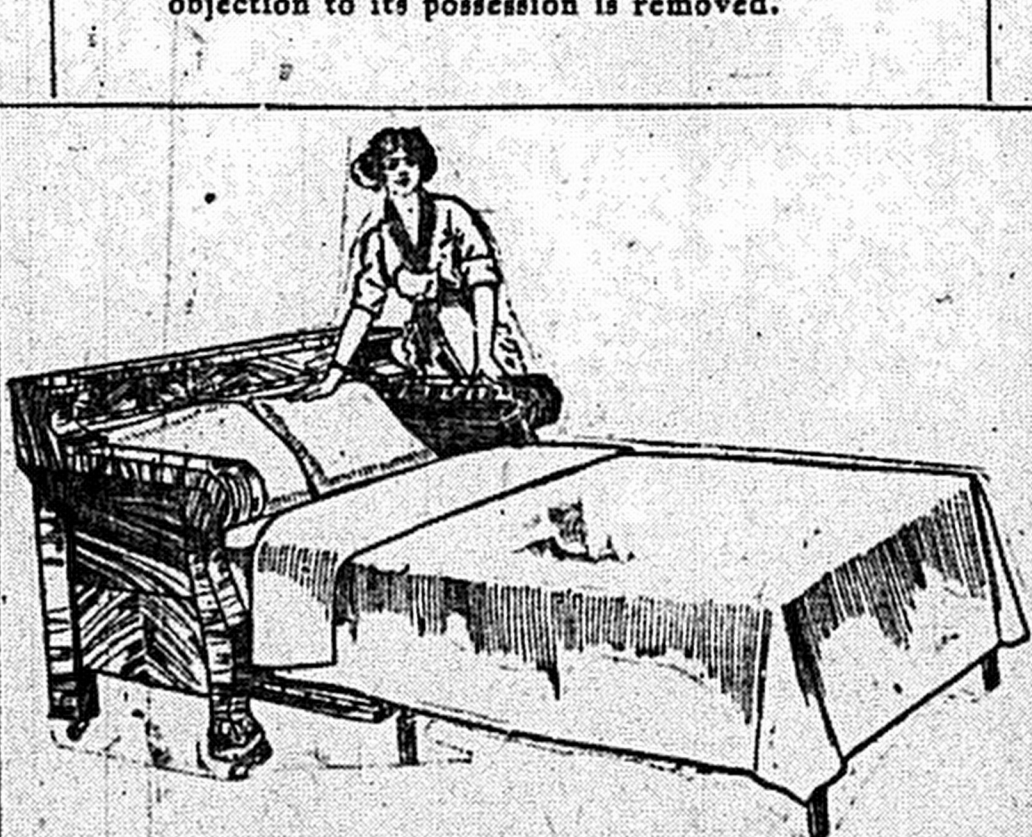
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## RUSSIAN MUNITION WORKERS IN REVOLT

Petrograd, May 11.—The Schischberg munitions district revolted today. Workmen and citizens of the district announced their intention of organizing a separate republic.

Representatives of the workmen and soldiers' committee left here at once to dissuade the revolutionaries from their announced purpose.

The provisional president of the munitions district was arrested by the rebels.

Just how serious the revolt is was not made clear in dispatches received here. Apparently, however, there was no violence.

Another instance of friction between the duma provisional government on Russia's plans for the future was evident today when it was announced the executive council of workmen and soldiers are planning a world's "international."

The project embraced a meeting of all varieties of socialists in some neutral nation to discuss world problems.

Those behind the plan insisted the conference was not identified in the slightest degree with the June meeting of socialists at Stockholm.

## LANSING DENIES U. S. IS IN PEACE AGREEMENT

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.)

Washington, May 11.—Secretary Lansing today denied published reports that the United States has an agreement with the entente allies not to make a separate peace with Germany by signing "There is no agreement written or unwritten relative to peace."

When pressed to say whether the subject had been discussed informally Mr. Lansing declined to discuss the subject further. He would not intimate that there was any probability of the United States acting separately but said the question of an agreement never had been raised.

## Societies and Clubs

**Friday.**—The Heather club will meet Friday evening in Charlemagne hall at 8 o'clock.

There will be a special convocation of Aurora commandery, No. 22, Knights Templar, Friday evening, May 11, at 7:30 o'clock for the purpose of work. All Knights Templar cordially invited.—Maxwell P. Gelbel, commander; Charles Hochman, recorder.

Regular meeting of Aurora chapter, No. 33, W. O. M. L. Friday evening at 8 o'clock in Moose hall.

Regular meeting of Turkish Bazaar lodge, No. 418, Friday evening at 8 o'clock in I. O. O. F. hall.

The L. C. B. A. will meet this evening in St. Nicholas hall. Cards after meeting.

**Saturday.**—Aurora Thirteen club will meet with Mrs. F. E. Quiser, 216 Oak avenue, Saturday at 2:30 p. m. Take Pennsylvania avenue car and get off at Oak and Illinois avenues.—Katherine Collins, chair.

Alamo chapter No. 693, O. E. S., will hold a stated meeting in Masonic hall at 7:30 o'clock Saturday evening for business. All visiting members are invited.—Fannie Yale, Worthy Matron; Florence Smith, Sec.

**Current Doct. Entries.**—Louis Doolittle, mittimus; Joseph Spolider, same.

Hattie Bogenrief vs. Fred P. Bogenrief; bill for divorce.

Nellie Morris vs. Henry Morris; same.

Nellie Wreith vs. Gaylord Wreith; same.

Ziegler Bros. company vs. Leonard Hawkins et al.; assumpsit.

E. M. Hunt vs. Oscar Johnson; bill to foreclose.

## NEW QUINCY GAS RATE OF 95 CENTS ORDERED

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.)

Springfield, Ill., May 11.—The public utilities commission today made effective in the form of an order the schedule of rates for the Quincy Gas, Electric & Heating company which authorizes 95-cent gas and nine-cent electricity.

## TWENTY MORE AMERICANS SAFELY OUT OF TURKEY

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.)

Berne, Switzerland, May 11, via Paris.—Twenty more American teachers and missionaries arrived from Turkey today on their way home. Others are expected soon.

## SAYS ENLARGED RHEUMATIC JOINTS DISAPPEAR UNDER TREATMENT

Advices Joints Be Kept Warm—Protect Hands From Cold Winds and Cold Water

The question has often been asked whether the misshapen finger joints due to rheumatism would return to normal, said W. A. Varney, the discoverer of Var-ne-sis.

I am going to answer this question by producing evidence that proves conclusively that they do. I want to suggest that it is important to keep the joints warm and protect the hands from cold winds and water.

Take the case of Mr. Holden, 3 James street, Lynn, Mass., whose fingers were bent and deformed—so deformed that you could not believe he ever had rheumatism. Again, Mrs. Breed of 119 President street, Lynn, Mass., fingers were actually useless, they were so stiff and deformed—she is well today, fingers perfect.

McMasters of 312 Humphrey street, Lowell, Mass., is another woman who regained the use of her fingers as well as other joints through Var-ne-sis. Mrs. Coyle of 257 Pleasant street, Marlboro, Mass., fingers were almost rigid—they have gone back to normal.

Mr. Nelson of 1142 Dorchester avenue, Boston, Mass., fingers were deformed to a marked degree—you'd never believe he had rheumatism. Nurse "Nightingale" of East Weymouth, Mass., fingers were crooked and deformed—they are now normal and she gives all the credit to Var-ne-sis.

Hundreds have told me that Var-ne-sis has been the means of their

crooked and deformed joints returning to normal. In this form of rheumatism not only are the hands misshapen, but other joints gradually become involved.

The disease may remain quiet for awhile, but there will be acute symptoms from time to time—enough in the early cases to remind you that the disease is creeping to other joints. If neglected, the fingers become so stiff that it will be impossible to open or close the hand, the knees draw up in the extreme cases and the patient is often helpless.

Physicians will tell you that they can do nothing for this disease, and it is that same form of rheumatism that Var-ne-sis has been so successful in.

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Made of white poplin cloth, lace style, with high or low heels ..... \$2.49

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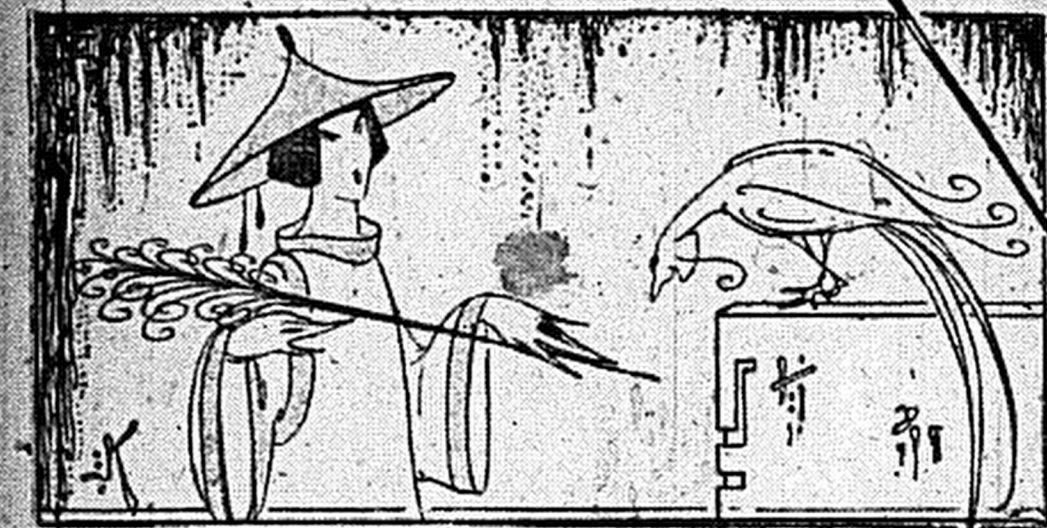
Startling, Summery and Smart

Everything new and startling in the fashions combines in this frock in such fashion that nothing offensive is used in it. A wonderful shade of coral Georgette is used to make the blouse, whose short, double tunic accentuates the slightly oval silhouette of the skirt. The skirt helps itself also to the gathered-in hem of Minnie's blouse. The sleeves and the collar, which swathe the front of the neck like a soft kerchief, are of vibrant rose chiffon, heavily embroidered in Burgundy. The enormous hat has a tulle brim with a velvet crown, on which there is a jaunty streamer of Paradise pointed. Velvet crown above tulle are the smartest new note in summer's symphony of whims.

THINK MAN WHO SLEW WIFE HIDES IN AURORA

Joseph Stone, who shot and killed his wife at Galesburg Wednesday is believed by the police of that city to be in hiding in Aurora. He is known to have boarded a Burlington railroad train headed for this city Wednesday night. The local police received a telegram today from the chief of police at Galesburg saying that Stone might be in this city. A reward of \$500 has been offered for his arrest.

Following is a description of the fugitive: Fifty-three to 55 years old, 5 feet and 11 inches tall, weight 175 to 180 pounds, blue eyes, gray hair and gray mustache, high forehead, scar about two inches in length between the thumb and index finger on the back of the right hand. He has a peculiar waddling or rolling gait and limps from injury in right knee. Stone shot and killed his wife, the police say, after a quarrel over his pay check.



MAY VOTE ON SPY BILL LATE TODAY

The Associated Press Latest Wire: Washington, May 11.—The senate worked today on the administration espionage bill under an agreement to limit debate and consideration was nearing its last stages. A final vote on the measure may be had before adjournment for the day, tho many senators still were to be heard. The press censorship again was the target of attack. Senator Hastings, speaking in support of the measure, assailed senators for delaying action by argument while Germany pursues her submarine policy. The senate, he said, was waiting time when it should be preparing for war and mobilizing resources. Senator Johnson of California moved to strike the entire newspaper censorship section from the bill. He said he did not speak for

the press.

After reading a letter from President Wilson to a New York editor, saying he, as chief executive would never consent to be exempted from criticism if the bill becomes law, Senator Johnson argued that while the president, as commander in chief would not be exempt from criticism, the inefficient general who led armies needlessly to slaughter could not be criticized. Such a provision, he declared, would mean there could be only praise for such men, a distortion of the truth or the commissioner would commit a crime and be sent to jail.

Last Day to File Suits—Today was the last day for filing suits in the circuit court at Geneva for service in the May term of court to begin May 21.

Find Stolen Automobile.—The Ford automobile of L. B. Shaw, of Geneva, stolen from in front of the Strand theater, corner of Benton street and Broadway, was recovered last night on the east river road, between Aurora and North Aurora. It had been abandoned there because of engine trouble. The police are of the belief that a gang of automobile thieves who have been operating in this section may have a hide-out place for cars somewhere on the outskirts of Aurora.

At the Theaters

STRAND—Tonight—Norma Talmadge in the gripping play, "The Law of Compensation," a Selznick picture. Tomorrow—A Pathé play, "Hinton's Double."

PALM—Tonight and Tomorrow—Robert Mantell in the Fox drama, "Tangled Lives," a story of adventure and mystery.

ORPHEUM—Tonight and Tomorrow—Edith Roberts in a two-act Imp drama, and an L-Ko comedy.

STAR—Tonight—Pearl White in the serial, "Pearl of the Army."

Tomorrow—"The Fate of Joan Garcia." Also Claire McDowell in a dramatic playlet.

FOX—Tonight and Tomorrow—A thundering drama with a message, "The Eagle's Wings." Also a Mack Sennett comedy.

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Movie Notes

"The Passing Show of 1917" at the Winter Garden has turned out to be the most sensational hit in the history of that famous resort. A wonderful production in every respect, interpreted by an amazingly strong company of stars headed by De Wolf Hopper and Irene Franklin.

Harold Lockwood's next appearance on the screen will be in "The Haunted Pajamas," a picturization of a clever novel by Francis Perry Elliott. This is Lockwood's first appearance in a society comedy. The intricate maze of complicating and extraordinary circumstances which are woven about the characters of the play, thru the haunting of the pajamas provides situations which are said to be "excruciatingly amusing."

Wallace Reid glided Director William H. Taylor, and escaped from exile at the Morosen studio, and succeeded in making his way to the Lasky plant at Hollywood. Mr. Taylor began a frantic endeavor to discover his lost star and some traitor at the Lasky studio finally admitted over the telephone that Reid was back at the old place. Thereupon the unhappy young man was released and returned to Los Angeles despite his protests. It is said that someone at the Lasky studio will probably meet with sudden and tragic death, Reid having stated that he will be rejected.

George Dehan who is impersonating an Italian "mugger" millionaire in "The Marcellini Millions," went shopping the other day to procure what constitutes his idea of the kind of a suit an Italian truck gardener who suddenly found himself the heir to millions, would purchase. It is a yellow creation with nine green stripes running horizontally and vertically, exactly four inches apart in both directions, giving a most charming plaid effect. Even during this time of high prices, the suit cost exactly \$7 with the vest thrown in. Donald Crisp, who is directing this production, is praying earnestly that there will be no rain until the picture is completed so he has grave fears for the result of his star should he be caught in the rain while clad in this sartorial classic.

Add to motion picture stars who are notoriously prolific purchasers of grape fruit farms in Alaska and seal fishing rights in the tropics, Kathlyn Williams, who has just figured in a gold brick incident. In this particular case, however, Miss Williams did not purchase the brick but was simply allowed to hold it in her hands for a brief moment by Colonel Potter, superintendent of the Yellow Aster mine, one of the largest gold mines in California. Several scenes in "The Highway of Hope," in which Miss Williams stars, were staged at the mine and Colonel Potter very kindly permitted Miss Williams to juggle this gold brick which was valued at exactly \$10,000 in American—not Mexican—money.

Altho Roscoe "Fatty" Arbuckle's

In the Motion Picture World



Lillian Walker

Lillian has made up her difference with the motion picture world, and will shortly appear in a new comedy-drama. She made her greatest hit in "Green Stockings," the play which the East high school senior class later presented on the spoken stage.

corpulency is known in every corner of the globe civilized enough to have a motion picture theater, still he is a many-sided genius despite the fact that he is popularly supposed to consist only of curves and comedy. Not only does Mr. Arbuckle appear in the films but he also directs their making and fulfills other functions which ordinarily are discharged by experts regarded as essential to the studio.

Bobby Dunn is singing ulcerated songs at the Pluto theater.

George Broadhurst's popular and J. Searle Dawley, having signed to the Famous Players laboratory, is working on the preliminary scenes of a picture, "The Valentine Girl," for Billie Burke's "The Mystery of the Valentine Girl" Miss Terry.

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